

## Facts About the Locust.

One of the most interesting insects in the world is the American periodical Cicada, or so-called 17-year locust. Every seventeen years in given localities in the Northern States, and every thirteen years in given localities in the Southern States, this visible but rather frail insect comes out of the ground in great numbers—sometimes in incredible numbers—and for a few weeks pierces the air with its shrilling. It sometimes happens that in certain localities it will appear at more frequent intervals. Thus in 1902 it appeared in parts of Maryland, New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania, and in the present year it will again appear in the same general region. But this does not mean that those which will appear this year are the children of those that laid eggs in 1902; they belong to a different brood, and their immediate parents were flying and laying eggs in 1894, while the children of the 1902 brood will not issue as adults until 1919.

There are many of these so-called broods, all accurately mapped and their appearance can be predicted with certainty. The 17-year brood of the present year, for example, running from North Carolina up to Albany, N. Y., and occurring also in Connecticut, has been reported every seventeen years since 1724 in Connecticut, and in New Jersey since 1776. Many changes have occurred in the 197 years elapsing between 1724 and 1911. Many a generation of Cicada larvae have gone into the ground for their long years of larval life, emerging at last to the surface only to find in many instances that in the seventeen years a house or a paved street or possibly a whole town has covered the surface.

There are thus two distinct races of the periodical Cicada. The northern, or 17-year race stays under the ground seventeen years, except for a few weeks. The southern, or 13-year race occupies only thirteen years in its subterranean growth. And occasionally, as will happen the present year, a brood of each race will make its appearance. On the whole, for one reason or another, most of the great broods are growing smaller. This is due in part to the gradual change in the face of the country through civilization, and partly, in our cities, to the work of the English sparrow now become so annoyingly abundant. Exact records of the appearance of the Cicada have been kept for many years and it is therefore possible to predict their appearances with exactitude for many years to come. In 1912 they will come out over most of Iowa, in 1913 in South



L. C. LITRELL

Democratic Candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Mr. Littrell is the man who introduced the old confederate pension bill, and while he has two opponents, is the only one who has served in the capacity of superintendent of schools. We believe he is the logical man for the office he seeks.

western Iowa and southward through Eastern Kansas and Western Missouri into the Indian Territory and possibly into Texas. In 1914 a compact brood will appear all through Eastern Ohio and over most of West Virginia, and in 1916 a scattering brood will be found through Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia and Kentucky.

The alarm always caused by the appearance or announced appearance of this insect is largely unjustified. They take practically no food, and injure trees only by the unfortunate way in which they lay their eggs.

They begin to come out about the end of May or early in June, and are active as adult Cicadas for four or five weeks. After mating the female lays her eggs by working her strong ovipositor into tender twigs of many different kinds of trees, inserting her eggs under the bark and in the saw-wood in a line along the axis of the twig.

Twigs thus attacked usually die where the Cicada is numerous; these terminal twigs with dead leaves are frequently so abundant as to make it appear as if a patch of woodland has been seriously injured. The eggs

begin to hatch late in July, and the active little larvae drop to the ground and burrow beneath the surface, where they remain until the end of May of the seventeenth year thereafter. These larvae are not grub-like, but are active, four-legged creatures and burrow readily through the soil by means of enlarged forelegs. They do not seem to injure the roots of plants, but to derive their sustenance from the organic matter contained in soil moisture.

In late spring of the seventeenth year, they have passed through their last molt and have become pupae, but in this stage they are as active as before. Sometimes reaching the surface of the soil, they will build little cones or chimneys of earth above the surface of the soil, building upward continually for several weeks before the time of issuing. Why they should build these chimneys or turrets or huts, as they have been called, has been a puzzling matter for the people who have written about it. They seem to be made when the soil is shallow or when there is some unusual warmth which brings the pupae to the surface in advance of the normal time and also sometimes when the soil is exceedingly moist. The conditions, in other words, must be somewhat abnormal or the chimneys are not constructed.

When the proper time arrives, the pupae leave the ground almost with a rush. They all come out nearly together and scramble for some tree trunk, fence or bush. On such base the climb upward for a considerable distance and then seize hold firmly and rest. This scramble from the ground begins always just at sundown and continues until nine or ten o'clock in the evening. About an hour after they have risen and fixed themselves, the skin begins to burst along the back of the thorax and the adult Cicada slowly crawls out in from twenty minutes to an hour or more the issuance is complete, and the newly issued adult, white in color with red eyes, clings either to the pupa shell or to the bark of the tree or to other objects upon which the pupa may be fixed, and gradually the wings expand and dry, and during the night the dark brownish color of the insect becomes evident.

The Cicada has not many natural specific enemies, and this is quite to be expected from its rare appearance. Nevertheless, many birds feed upon it with avidity, and the English sparrow, rather contrary to its normal habits, seems to begin a prolonged feasting whenever the Cicada comes. So generally are the Cicadas destroyed in the neighborhood of cities by this city nuisance that each year the broods have become smaller since this sparrow was brought to this country. One of the natural enemies is the largest of the digger wasps. This wasp stores its burrows with Cicadas. The periodical Cicada as a rule appears too early for the wasp, which finds the bulk of its prey in the common dog-day harvest fly that comes out after the seventeen-year locust has disappeared, but many of the late-flying seventeen-year Cicadas are captured by the earliest of the wasps to issue, are stung by them and carried away and packed in the long wasp burrows beneath the ground.

The eggs of the Cicada are preyed upon by certain mites, and there is a little internal parasite which destroys them as well.

It sometimes happens that orchards located on cleared lands or in the vicinity of standing forests are very seriously injured by the Cicadas laying their eggs, but on the whole they do little damage. Where damage of this kind is feared, the remedies consist in destroying the pupae as they arise from the ground and while they are more or less torpid and sluggish. A very strong solution of kerosene emulsion has also been used with excellent effect. It should be sprayed over the pupae and newly formed adults in the early evening. A heavy coat of whitewash on the trees will keep them away to some extent when there are other trees in the neighborhood. Bordeaux mixture seems to have some effect of the same kind. Owners of young orchard forewarned of the coming of a brood of Cicadas, should neglect all pruning operations during the winter and spring in order that their trees may be pruned for them by the Cicadas, thus distributing the damage over a larger surface. Another precaution when a Cicada year is expected is to defer the planting of orchards, especially in the vicinity of old forest land, until the danger is past.

## Begins June 11th.

The Christian Church, in this city, for some time has been arranging for a series of meetings, beginning Sunday, June 11. For part of the time, during the first of the meeting, the preaching will be done by the pastor, Rev. Horace Siberell, the music will be in charge of Prof. Ross S. Davis, of Greenfield, Ind. Prof. Davis has the reputation of being a fine leader of song and evangelistic worker.

We trust that these meetings will be of great benefit to the city of Hickman, both spiritually and religiously. While the religious and moral sentiment is not greater in any of the neighboring towns, than it is in Hickman, still we are sure that every one who is desirous of the building up of the morals and religious and Christian sentiment will be glad to increase these sentiments by helping in every way they can to make these meetings successful.

R. A. Tyler spent Sunday in Fulton.

Better shingles for less money.—C. M. Yates Shingle Co.

W. C. Johnson has been on the sick list for several days past.

Hickman Furniture Co., headquarters for anything in furniture.

G. S. Dowell, of Farmington, Mo., was the guest of Rev. Siberell, Tuesday.

Rev. Henry J. Geiger, of this city, conducted services for the Knight Templars at Fulton, Sunday.

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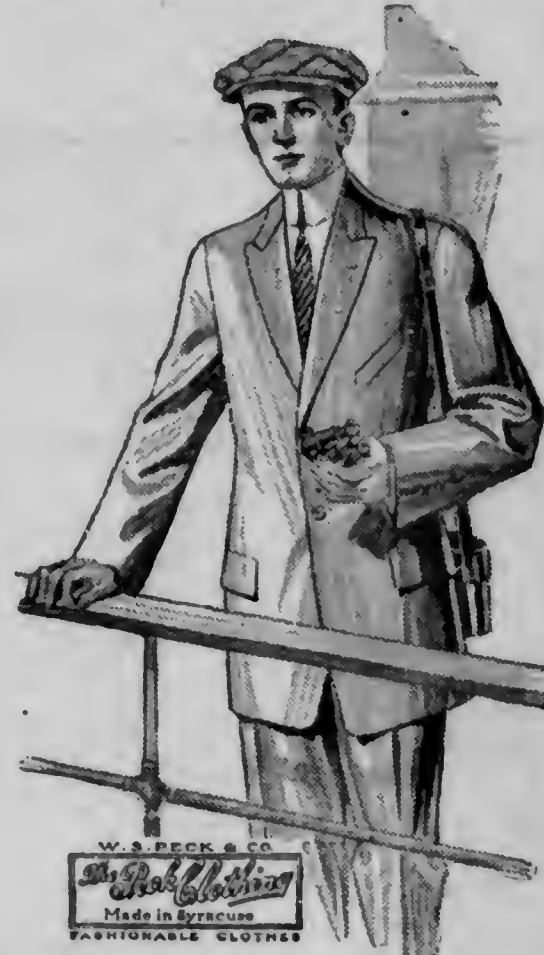
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Harold DeBow is expected home next week from Lexington, Ky., where he has been attending school.

The vicinity of Brownsville, a few miles southwest of Hickman, was visited by a good rain Monday afternoon.

S. L. Doids thinks it a good idea for autos to go out on joy rides in pairs so that one may tow the other home—but, oh, that dust!

D. B. Wilson attended the funeral of his nephew, Welsh Wilson, which occurred at Mayfield, Sunday. The young man died in El Paso, Tex., last Wednesday.



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At the final examination of the Hickman schools, the following pupils represent the leaders in their respective grades:

### Fifth Grade.

Sophia Lunsford .....96.  
Lucille Naylor .....95.  
Bettie Louise Curlin .....92.  
Mary Tempa Burnett .....91.5  
Velma Swift .....91.1  
Ceryl Peck .....90.6

### Sixth Grade.

Ward Seat .....96.1  
Lucille Barnes .....94.8  
Carrie Reid .....93.4  
Camille Barrett .....90.5  
Henry Coffey .....90.5  
Vera Smith .....89.5  
Verna Harris .....89.

### Seventh Grade.

Porter Pierce .....93.  
Helen Tyler .....91.2  
Olney Johnson .....91.  
Herbert Weatherly .....89.  
Irma Bruer .....88.  
Scott Collins .....88.

### Eighth Grade.

Aubra Townsend .....96.4  
Guy Ledwidge .....96.4  
Baltzer Dodds .....96.2  
Marshall McDaniel .....96.2  
Lexie Rice .....95.2  
Fay Glaser .....88.4

### Ninth Grade.

Doskie Roach .....95.5  
Roy Journey .....94.  
Fern Bryan .....92.7  
Lizzie Pickett .....92.7  
Lester Pierce .....92.2  
Luetta Lunsford .....90.

### Tenth Grade.

Lily Hackett .....98.  
Lillian Coffey .....97.7  
Irene Thompson .....97.  
Prather Saunders .....96.7  
Lewis Lunsford .....96.5  
Sarah Winn McConnell .....96.5  
Paul Choate .....96.2  
Lula Shuff .....96.2

### Juniors.

Nannie Smith .....90.8  
Lon Naylor .....90.5  
Pansy Weatherly .....90.5  
Arnott Henderson .....90.3

Miss Grace Kimmerer has accepted a position in Fethe & French's Book Store.

## A DIFFERENCE.



Hoax—One of his sons is a poor bookbinder.  
Joax—And the other is a rich book-maker.

Miss Virginia Luten has assumed the duties of her office at County School Superintendent, Miss Dora Smith's resignation having taken effect yesterday.

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Hat, Shirt and Millinery Bags.  
Sale and Stock Bills.  
Marriage Certificates.

Citizens of Baltimore have raised a fund of \$100,000 to be used in entertaining the National Democratic Convention next year, which Baltimore is determined to have.

Jim Knight, a negro, was carried to Dr. Overby's office Tuesday afternoon, and three fingers of the right hand, which were almost severed in a machine at Mengel, were taken off.

Miss Zada Lewis, of Caruthersville, Mo., was here a few days this week the guest of Miss Kathleen Saunders who is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Thompson.

Miss Clara Cashon, who killed herself at her home at Dukedom, Sunday left a letter blaming her parents for her act. They came between her and her sweetheart.

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## W. O. W. Decoration.

Elm Camp No. 3, W. O. W., will decorate the graves of departed Sovereigns at the City Cemetery Sunday afternoon. Members will form in line and march to the cemetery from their hall at 1 o'clock.

Sunday afternoon, June 11, this camp will also decorate the graves at Brownsville cemetery and unveil monuments to the memory of Sovereigns Kemp and Langford.

All members are requested to be present and show this respect and honor to the memory of our deceased Sovereigns.

Mr. Low, of Mayfield, was in this city yesterday looking for a building in which to establish a dry goods store. It is almost unnecessary to say that he was unable to find a vacant business house. Hickman cannot grow unless some arrangements are made for more business houses.

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## Released on Bond.

Ben Whitson and — Northern, who were arrested last week after a shooting scrape with Ed Dyer, at Madrid Bend, waived examination Thursday, and were released from jail on \$500 bonds. They will await the action of the grand jury.

Dyer, whom the physicians at first claimed had only a few hours to live, is now in fair way to recovery. The contents of a shotgun and a pistol were both emptied into his body, inflicting what seemed to be fatal wounds but they were not as bad as first reported. There is strong hope for him surviving.

## BITS ABOUT OUR BETTYS.

A winsome miss is generally able to win some mister.

Some girls are taken at their face value and some at their pa value.

A good deal depends on the dressing when it comes to girls and salads.

It only takes a "he" to convert an "artless" girl into a "heartless" one.

Ask a girl for a lock of her hair nowadays and she won't require any scissors.

When a young man's attention is arrested by a girl he is generally brought to court.

A pretty girl and a philosopher are both apt to be enamored of their own reflections.—Boston Transcript.

There is an unprecedented demand for dwelling houses in Hickman at present. We can name a dozen people who are willing to take any kind of a house they can find—but there are none. The new local agent of the C. M. & G. cannot find a house and two or three others connected with the road would locate here if possible. If local capital will not handle the proposition, outsiders should be interested in the matter. A hundred more residences could be rented.

## Dry Weather Serious.

According to the statistics of the weather bureau, May, 1911, has been the hottest May in 17 years. It has now been about 33 days since this immediate section has had a good rain.

Unless we get rain at once, crops are going to be seriously damaged, especially the corn crop, many acres of which has not yet been planted. Weather forecasters have predicted wet weather more or less for three weeks past—but evidently, "all signs fall in dry weather."

In short, we are in the throes of a drought, and people, live stock and growing crops are feeling its effect.

Geo. Laws, of near Fulton, died Monday, age 69.

L. P. Ellison has been on the sick list this week.

The Courier editors regret being unable to accept an invitation to attend the joint meeting of the three medical societies of Fulton, Ohio and Hickman counties which met this week at Walnut Log, on Reelfoot Lake. The medicals started the recreation sojourn Tuesday and will conclude today. Aside from a short, hot weather program embracing discussions, papers, etc., the doctors have devoted themselves to the sport afforded by their surroundings, and the hospitality of our friend, P. C. Ward. This is a clever set of fellows, and its a clinch they had a time to be long remembered. There were in all about twenty in attendance. Of course, most of the Hickman physicians were there.

## Fire at Fulton.

Fulton suffered a \$50,000 fire on Tuesday morning when flames started in and destroyed the W. K. Hall lumber yards and buildings. The fire really started in a barn belonging to the lumber company, and is thought to have been of incendiary origin. The lumber company places their loss at \$50,000 with \$20,000 insurance.

The Fulton Bottling Co., also sustained a loss amounting to \$3,000, with \$1,000 insurance.

Fon Collins also lost his residence.

Others whose losses are small were Hurst & Tucker, liverymen, Chas. Fowler, liveryman, and Fulton power plant and Cumberland Telephone Co.

## Progressive Citizens.

In fact everyone these days, seeks to save time and the telephone is the greatest time-saver that has ever been invented. It is instantaneous. You can send and receive your message at the same time. It brings distant cities and towns within your reach almost instantly. It connects you locally with everyone of prominence. If you have not a telephone of the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Company, call our manager immediately for rates and information. If you use the Bell service you are in the center of the entire Bell system, connecting with over five million telephones and every important city and town in the United States.—Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Company, Incorporated.

The Republicans of Fulton county will hold a convention in Hickman, July 8th, to select delegates to their state convention, at Louisville, July 11th.

Leslie Owens, foreman at the laundry, is nursing a dislocated arm this week, the result of a scuffle with a room mate.

## Some Pointers

- ¶ We sell only drugs of the *highest quality*, and at the same time our prices are *very reasonable*.
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- ¶ We cordially invite you to bring your prescriptions to us, buy your toilet articles and sick room necessities of us, and come to us for all drug store supplies that you may need.

## Helm & Ellison



## SERVING HAM FOR LUNCHEON

Directions for Preparing Some Simple but Delicious and Tasty Dishes.

For luncheon grind the ends of a boiled ham and mix it with a button onion that has been chopped fine and a little minced parsley. Put the mixture into a pan with a little butter and moisten with hot water or cream. Simmer four or five minutes and then heap on slices of toast.

For curly bacon, cut it very thin and half cook it in boiling water. Then curl it, faster it in shape with a toothpick and broil it over the fire.

A little grated American cheese mixed with the minced ham used in a sandwich is delicious if the sandwich is fried brown and served very hot.

Sliced ham is more tender if it is baked than if fried. Cut a slice three-quarters of an inch thick, put it into a small agate pan, turn three-quarters of a cupful of milk over it, cover and bake for an hour and a quarter, basting every 15 minutes with the milk.

Cold cooked ham is tasty if it is shredded and cooked in currant jelly sauce. Put a cupful of the shredded ham into a saucepan with a level tablespoonful of butter and half a cupful of currant jelly. As soon as the jelly and butter begin to bubble add four tablespoonfuls of sherry and a seasoning of paprika. Simmer the mixture about five or six minutes and serve with toast.

## BOON TO WINDOW WASHERS

Can Go About Work Without Fear of Sudden Death on Pavement Below.

Much of the risk in the calling of window cleaning has been eliminated by the invention of a New York man. This invention is a safety appliance which enables a window washer to go about his or her work without fear of meeting a sudden and horrible death on the pavement, 18 or 20 stories below. First there is a belt, with rings around it. Then there is a cable of two strands which join in a loop to



Hook Holds Worker Fast.

which a hook is attached. The cable fastens to the belt by the rings. The washer straps the belt around his waist and takes his position on the window sill. The cable, as shown in the illustration, hangs inside and the hook can be anchored to some heavy piece of furniture or to another hook in the floor or subbase near the window. While this device was designed primarily for professional window cleaners, it will be found useful in private houses, especially where the servants are thin.

## Meats Meat.

Two bowls of finely chopped meat, four bowls of apples, two bowls of raisins, one bowl of currants, one bowl of sugar and one-half bowl of sweet one-third pound of citron, one-half cup of New Orleans molasses, two teaspoonfuls of mace and two of ground cinnamon, one teaspoon of cloves, two nutmegs, salt. Mix all together, add cider, and cook thoroughly. This recipe has been used by many good cooks and has been found to be an excellent one. The "bowl" referred to holds one and one-half pints.

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### Little One At Rest.

Little Kenneth Housley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Housley, of this city, was called to rest yesterday afternoon at 3:30. Had he lived until June 3, he would have been four years old.

He was a sweet little fellow and possessed extraordinary intelligence. His long suffering and patient endurance was indeed pathetic. Several months ago he lost his sight although every possible effort was made to help him. Death was due to an optic nerve trouble.

The remains were carried to Nashville, last night, for interment—the former home of his parents.

He is survived by his parents and one little sister, Inez.

The heart broken parents have the sincere sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their sweet little son, whom God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to call from suffering to eternal rest.

### Woodland Mills.

Mrs. Artie Glidewell is improving slowly.

Mrs. Jennie Branham is on the sick list this week.

Richard Sanders was the guest of his parents Saturday and Sunday.

J. R. McAdoo, of Terrell, was the guest of Miss Zola Bradley Saturday.

Miss Sallie Roper was the guest of F. K. Bradley and family Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Glover are the proud owners of a new piano purchased this week.

There was a large crowd at the Sunday School Sunday, and the service was enjoyed.

Lee Maddox and family and Miss Pauline Parrish, of Terrell, were the guests of Wm. Maddox Saturday and Sunday.

### Save a Dollar.

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## Heard On the Streets

### Christmas Gift.

Harry Ellison spent the first of the week in Louisville.

Percy Jones went to Nashville yesterday on business.

Harvey Lowe and wife were here from Mayfield Tuesday.

Charlie Page, of Mayfield, was a Hickman visitor Tuesday.

W. N. Hostie, of Tiptonville, was here Wednesday on business.

Reception Room Furniture St. Louis Furnishing Co. "sells it for less."

Miss Eugenia Parham, of Mayfield, was a Hickman visitor Tuesday.

Lawrence Albritton, of Paducah, was here on business Wednesday.

W. J. Logan returned from a short business trip to Mound City Wednesday.

Percy Jones and wife went to Nashville Wednesday afternoon for a few days.

Bryant Ledford is visiting at the home of W. M. Shaw, at State Line, this week.

Born, yesterday, to the wife of Calvin Arrington, on Route 4, a fine 12-pound boy.

O. T. Sullivan returned Wednesday from a several days' visit to relatives in Mayfield.

Miss Annie Lee Brown visited her sister Mrs. J. M. Roper near State Line, last week.

Miss Hazel Dean Whittleson left Wednesday for Trenton, Tenn., to spend several weeks.

Miss May Lang, of Jackson, Tenn., has accepted a position as saleslady with the Industrial League.

Miss Zada Lewis left Wednesday afternoon for her home in Caruthersville, after a short visit here.

C. W. Holcombe, of Phoenix, Miss., is the guest of his father, C. A. Holcombe. He arrived yesterday.

Lon Naylor has accepted a position with the Hickman Drug Co. for the summer months as soda dispenser.

T. A. Holcombe, of Greenville, Miss., arrived here Monday to visit his father, C. A. Holcombe, and old Hickman friends.

Col. Joseph Potter was nominated for Mayor of Paducah in the Democratic primary held Thursday. He had four opponents.

Jerry Johnson, of Cayce, was here Tuesday taking orders for a splendid lot of books. Mr. Johnson is now representing a Cincinnati publishing house.

Alex. Nalfie is getting material on the ground to build a brick business house in West Hickman. It will be on the lot just east of Jim White's store, and the dimensions are to be 32x50.

Mrs. Jno. Smotherman returned to her home in Armored, Ark., Saturday, after a visit to her parents, B. Moore and wife. She was accompanied home by her sisters, Misses Imogene, Lydia and Lizzie Moore, who will visit her for about a month.

Monday evening, the pupils of Mrs. C. F. Baltzer's music class gave a recital at her home. The class is composed of Misses Clois Ledford, Ruth Walker, Grace Threlkeld, Lucile Gahby, Elizabeth Reeves, Lyto Reid, Thelma Baltzer, Anna Lynn and Baltzer Rodda.

Dee Pleasant, one of our hustling young bottom farmers brought a stalk of cotton in yesterday containing 10 leaves and 1 square. This is the best specimen of the fleecy staple we have seen this year. He thinks this crop in the bottom has not been hurt by the dry weather.

Porter's Tuffs went to Hickman Friday and played a good game of ball, but lost the game, the score being 4 to 2 in favor of Hickman. The man who pitched for Hickman was a former Kitty League player, and was a little too swift for our boys, but the Hickman bunch found they had all they could tend to.—Clinton Gazette.

Percy Jones has just finished overhauling and refurnishing his restaurant, known as "Jones No. 2." It is fixed up in first class shape, and would be a credit to any town. His patrons will find it a mighty comfortable, modern, clean and up-to-date establishment. It has cost no small amount of money to remodel this establishment, and Mr. Jones certainly merits our hearty support in this line. W. T. Pembleton will continue in the capacity of manager.

## Announcement

We take this means of informing our friends and patrons that we have just finished the interior work, including a thorough overhauling, refurnishing, papering, painting, etc., which makes

## Jones' No. 2

### The Swellest Restaurant

to be found in this section of the state. It is finished in golden oak with private dining room, writing and reading room, telephones, electric fans, etc., and absolutely sanitary throughout. We have tried to make all arrangements for the convenience of our patrons, and invite you to inspect the place.

Regular meals will be served—everything in season—as well as short orders. A full line of confections, soft drinks and tobaccos will be carried. Prices reasonable. We invite the patronage of both ladies and gentlemen.

**PERCY JONES, Prop.**

**W. T. PEMBLETON, Manager.**

### No. 6 Started To-day.

Owing to the fact that the Department has not yet passed on the grades of those taking the civil service examination for mail carrier on Route 6, Postmaster Stephens was authorized to appoint a temporary carrier.

W. J. (Cap) Barry was sworn in this morning, and took the mail out on the first trip today. It may be several days before we learn who gets the place, but Mr. Barry took the examination, and his many friends hope that he will become the permanent carrier.

This route covers a distance of 25 miles, going from Hickman to Lutzelle, thence to Ashlog around to Mabel, and back up the levee road.

### Miss McCraw Worse.

Miss Marie Brevard returned Wednesday afternoon from Braden, Tenn., where she has been visiting and where she had the misfortune of breaking her arm. The injury was quite a serious one, the bones having to be set three times. Soon after reaching home Miss Brevard received a message stating that Miss McCraw was thought to be hurt worse than at first supposed, and internal injuries were feared. Miss McCraw is well known to a number of Hickman people, having attended house parties at Gen. Tylor's and visited Miss Brevard.

The Hickman College Alumni Association entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Walker last night, and a large crowd was present. The house was tastefully decorated in the colors of the organization and the color scheme was also carried out in the refreshments of cream and cake.

Photographer J. M. Pullen went up to Columbus this week and landed a nice order for his work. He will make regular visits to that city hereafter.

E. P. Wright left this morning for Anderson, Ind., to take part in a big revival.

Arthur Hale returned home yesterday from Spring Hill, Tenn., where he has been attending Branham & Hughes Business College. Mr. Hale is now a graduate of this institution.

### Revival Begins Monday.

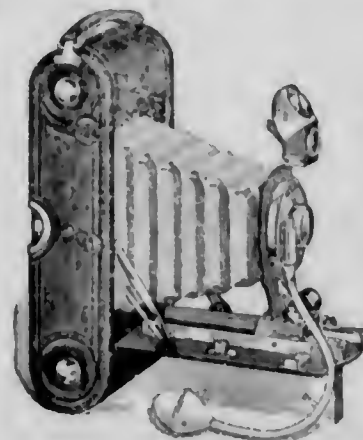
The revival meeting will begin at East Hickman Chapel next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The tent will be ready for use Tuesday evening. Rev. Wilson has secured the help of Rev. B. S. McLemore, a Memphis pastor, who is said to be quite a revivalist.

**WEATHER:** Generally fair today and tomorrow.

We have it.—St. Louis Furnishing Co. sells it for less.

Mrs. Clara Pullen, age 28, died at Mayfield yesterday.

## Take a Kodak with you.



We say "Kodak" advisedly. We do not merely mean camera, but the particular make of camera that bears the Eastman trade mark "Kodak". The satisfactory results that it has given to our customers justify us in specifying "Kodak".

Your vacation will mean more to you, if you Kodak. Not only more pleasure at the time, but afterward, the added pleasure that will come from the pictures.

Let us show you how simple it all is by the Kodak system. Our stock is very complete and we are always glad to give photographic help to an amateur.

**HELM & ELLISON**



## Set Your Mind on a Mohair Suit

Right now is the time to wear one. Made to  
measure at

**\$17.00 to \$23.00**

The colors are rich and beautiful. A perfect  
warm weather suit. They are high in fabric but  
not in price. Try one and you will agree with us.

### Millet & Alexander

#### Appendix Removed.

John Q. Adams, of the Hickman  
Tin & Plumbing Co., was hurried to  
Nashville, Tenn., Friday afternoon to  
be operated on for appendicitis. We  
are glad to learn that the operation  
was successful, and last reports say  
Mr. Adams is resting well. The  
physicians at St. Thomas Hospital  
claim that had he been six hours  
later, he could not have survived.

He was accompanied by Dr. C. W.  
Curlin, E. W. Adams and Mrs. J. Q.  
Adams.

Here's hoping he has a speedy re-  
covery.

Don't forget the election of three  
members on the school board next  
Wednesday. The members whose  
terms expire are Mayor Tom Dillon,  
W. C. Johnson and F. M. Provow.

Granulated Eye Lids  
can be cured without resorting to  
surgery by the use of Sutherland's  
Eagle Eye Salve. We guarantee it  
to cure. 25c everywhere. 8

Miss Hazel Adams was in Nashville  
this week.

Don't Experiment With a Cough  
When Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey has  
been used by millions of people for  
sixteen years with a steady increasing  
demand. Look for the Bell on  
the bottle. 8

#### Police Court News.

The matinee session of Judge Rem-  
ley's court, Monday afternoon, was  
enlivened with a comedy sketch in  
the trial of Mose Barket, charged  
with assaulting Tom Andrews. The  
alleged offense was the out-come of  
a balance of 15c owed to the defend-  
ant by Mr. Andrews. Honest Mose  
pleaded his own case to the jury, ad-  
monishing them to make allowance  
for what City Attorney Davis would  
have to say. The jury, however, fin-  
ed Mose \$5.

Mose swore out a warrant for An-  
drews and he was tried for disturbing  
the peace. He was found not guilty.  
In either instance, the case amount-  
ed to virtually nothing.

J. W. White, the West Hickman  
groceryman, was next called to an-  
swer to the charge of breach of the  
peace Saturday night, and to admin-  
istering excessive punishment. Mr.  
White told the jury that he was un-  
willing to spare the rod and spoil the  
child—in fact, he was of the opinion  
that the boy hadn't received more  
than half he needed. About a dozen  
witnesses were called in the case, af-  
ter some deliberation, the jury was  
unable to agree. Mr. White will  
have another hearing Friday morning.

Since our last report Jim Rhodes  
was fined \$20 for committing forni-  
cation.

Ben Smith, for carrying concealed  
weapons, \$25.

Jim Dunn, violating local option  
law, \$60.

Jim Dunn, Grant White, Ed Totten,  
Earnest Nichols and Bob Sangster,  
gaming, \$20 each.

Other petit offences, summed up  
as breaches of the peace and fines  
assessed at \$5 each, were given the  
following: Sallie Hershey, C. A.  
Trusty, Inez Taylor, Otto Jenkins, J.  
Roue, Bob White, Frank Downing  
and Allie Flowers. 8

No Danger  
In taking Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey  
for coughs and colds. It contains no  
habit producing drugs. Look for the  
Bell on the bottle. 8

9x12 Art Squares \$3.50. St. Louis  
Furnishing Co. sells it for less.

#### HERE AND THERE

St. Louis Furnishing Co. sells it  
for less.

Houses for sale on instalment plan.  
—M. B. Shaw. 15c

Born to the wife of W. C. Speer,  
Friday, a 9-pound boy.

Hickman's 6th rural free delivery  
route starts tomorrow.

We have some new things in fur-  
niture this season.—Hickman Furni-  
ture Co.

Miss Marie Schmidt, of Union City,  
is the guest of her brother, Carl  
Schmidt.

S. I. Self is improving after nurs-  
ing a very aggravating case of blood  
poisoning on the hands.

Save from \$1 to \$2 a thousand on  
your shingles by buying direct from  
mill.—C. M. Yates Shingle Co.

Dr. Lon Naylor has purchased a  
Hupmobile runabout from the local  
agents—Hubbard & Kennedy.

Rev. Horace Siberell spent last  
week in visiting in Missouri and Ark-  
ansas, returning on the Rees Lee,  
Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Davidson and little  
granddaughter, of Trenton, Tenn.,  
were guests of Henry Travis and  
wife first of the week.

Ford Herendes couldn't resist the  
temptation to go to Louisville and  
see the Minneapolis team cross bats  
with the Louisville sluggers.

Misses Alma Perry and June Grove,  
of Jackson, Tenn., were the guests of  
Miss Marguerite Enqua last week.  
They returned home Friday.

S. M. Naffeb and wife returned  
home Monday from Ft. Smith, Ark.,  
where they have been visiting the  
former's brother for several days.

A party of motorists including  
Mrs. M. Amberg, Miss Lizzie Amberg,  
Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wilson, Mr. and  
Mrs. S. L. Dodds, and Baitzer and  
Miss Anna Lynn Dodds were in May-  
field, Sunday.

Miss Mena Diestelbrink leaves this  
week for Rockport, Ky., to spend a  
few days with relatives; from there  
she goes to Indianapolis, Ind., to  
study music. She will spend the sum-  
mer there.

The regular services at the Christ-  
ian Church for next Sunday will be  
as follows: Sunday school, C. C.  
Smith, Supt., 9:45 a. m. Preaching  
by the pastor, Rev. Horace Siberell,  
at 11 a. m., subject, "How to Obtain  
a Blessing," and at 8 p. m., subject,  
"The Parable of the Good Samaritan."

The Courier is publishing letters  
from our fellow-townsmen A. B. Bar-  
kett, who is traveling in the Holy  
Land. If you have not been reading  
these letters, we feel that you are  
missing a treat. There are many  
quaint, interesting customs recorded  
by him that we have failed to read  
in the letters of anyone else's travels.

#### Commencement.

Commencement exercises of Hick-  
man College were held at the Lyric  
last Thursday night. The night was  
very warm but the house was filled  
to its capacity.

The program rendered by the grad-  
uates was interesting and each indi-  
vidual effort was applauded. Miss  
M. Williamson, a member of a Louis-  
ville choir, and a singer of no mean  
ability, was on the program for sev-  
eral appreciated numbers.

The impersonations of Misses Vir-  
ginia Royster and Blanche Helm were  
especially good and showed much  
work had been done in preparation.

Prof. Gabby, in a few well chosen  
words, presented the diplomas.

Friday night the musical depart-  
ment under Miss Mena Diestelbrink  
gave an entertainment at the Lyric,  
which was also well attended.

The musical numbers, drills, etc.,  
were well rendered, and showed that  
Hickman's future musicians were not  
lacking in talent.

The school year just closed has  
been a successful one and both the  
students and teachers are thoroughly  
satisfied with the good work that has  
been accomplished.

#### Don't Be Annoyed.

With skin troubles, chaps, pimples,  
black heads, eczema or sores. When  
one 25c box of Dr. Bell's Antiseptic  
Salve will cure you. Try it at once.

My home place can be bought at a  
bargain.—J. B. Housley.

Everything in lumber and builders'  
hardware at Reynolds-Moss & Co.

# A Helpless Invalid

Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

A woman who is sick and suffering, and won't at least  
try a medicine which has the record of Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound, is, it would almost seem, to blame  
for her own wretchedness. Read what this woman says:

Richmond, Mo. — "When my second daughter was eighteen  
months old I was pronounced a hopeless invalid by specialists.  
I had a consultation of doctors and they said I had a severe case  
of ulceration. I was in bed for ten weeks, had sinking spells,  
and was pronounced to be in a dangerous condition. My father  
insisted that we try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,  
and brought me six bottles. I soon began to improve, and be-  
fore it had all been taken I was as well and strong as ever—my  
friends hardly recognized me so great was the change." — Mrs.  
Woodson Branstetter, Richmond, Mo.

There are literally hundreds of thousands of women in  
the United States who have been benefited by this famous  
old remedy, which was produced from roots and herbs over  
thirty years ago by a woman to relieve woman's suffering.

Read what another woman says:—

Jonesboro, Texas. — "I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegeta-  
ble Compound for myself and daughter, and consider it un-  
qualified for all female diseases. I would not be without it for  
anything. I wish every mother in America could be persuaded  
to use it as there would be less suffering among our sex then.  
I am always glad to speak a word of praise for Lydia E. Pink-  
ham's Vegetable Compound, and you are at liberty to use this  
testimonial." — Mrs. James T. Lawrence, Jonesboro, Texas.

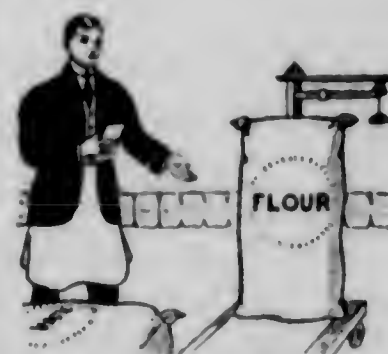
Since we guarantee that all testimonials which we pub-  
lish are genuine, is it not fair to suppose that if Lydia E.  
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had the virtue to help  
these women it will help any other woman who is suffering  
from the same trouble?

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound has been the standard remedy for  
female ills. No sick woman does justice to  
herself who will not try this famous medicine.  
Made exclusively from roots and herbs, and  
has thousands of cures to its credit.

If the slightest trouble appears which  
you do not understand, write to Mrs.  
Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for her advice—it is  
free and always helpful.



#### If You Weigh



a bag of EXCELLENCE flour, you  
will find it full weight. If you test  
the flour you will find it retains the  
full flavor and nutritious qualities of  
wheat from which it is made—the  
best wheat grown. It makes the  
lightest and sweetest bread and is  
the flour you ought to use.

**C. B. Travis**

## U. S. Tariff Commission Cannot Prevent Higher Prices on Shoes

Shoe prices in this country are fixed by the Leather Trust.  
The Trust has a throttling grip on the tanneries.

It regulates the quantity of leather. It fixes the price of that leather.  
Worse than that—it influences the quality of all leather.

If cheaper shoes—if better shoes—mean anything to you and your family, you must  
strike for yourself—Get Endicott-Johnson shoes. Endicott, Johnson & Co. are the only shoe  
manufacturers in this country who are independent of the Leather Trust.

They buy their hides in the open markets of the world. They own their  
tanneries—they tan every pound of leather they put into their shoes. They sell  
direct to your home shoe dealer, cutting out the profits of four distinct middlemen.

Endicott-Johnson shoes save you 50 cents to \$1.00 on every pair—and they  
give you service, style, fit and comfort that you simply cannot get in any other  
shoes at any price.

The ENDWELL (Goodyear Welt) is their dress or business  
shoe—\$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

ENDWELL shoes give you every choice of style—snappy,  
up to the minute lines, or the more conservative cut—any width  
and shape of toe—all the colors of leather. Good fitting—ex-  
quisitely finished—easy to the foot.

Look for this name stamped in every shoe—

# ENDWELL

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Shoe buyers who live outside the city where this paper is published can learn the names of their home dealers  
who carry ENDWELL shoes by writing to Endicott, Johnson & Co., Endicott, N. Y.



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DENTIST  
1st and 2nd Bldg., over  
Bryant's Store  
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means that your sub-  
scription has expired  
Renew promptly if you  
want the paper to come  
to you after this month.

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## OPINIONS OF THE WISE.

Obedience is the key to every door.  
—Bach.

Justice is simple, truth easy.—Ly-  
curgus.

Be good, and refrain not to do good.  
—Herschell.

Time wasted is existence; used it is  
life.—Waller.

It is the mind that makes the body  
rich.—Drummond.

Genius finds its own road and car-  
ries it on its own lamp.

The golden age is not behind, but  
before us.—Huntzen.

A noble aim, faithfully kept, is a  
noble deed.—Livingston.

Let each day record some kind,  
some gracious thought.—Smiles.

It is better to fight for the good  
than to rail at the ill.—Parker.

The kindest and the happiest pair  
will find occasion to forbear.—Leader.

The man who does most has the  
least time to talk about what he does.  
—Lang.

Prosperity demands of us more pru-  
dence and moderation than adversity.  
—Cleero.

Judge not your fellow man's condi-  
tions till you be in his position.—  
Richter.

The days are never long enough for  
the man whose heart is in his work.—  
Haydn.

Between two evils choose neither;  
between two goods choose both.—  
Edwards.

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**COAL OIL and GASOLINE**

Lowest prices and prompt  
delivery. Absolutely  
uniform.

**Give Us a Trial**

**INDIAN REFINING CO.**

EVANSVILLE

## Rules for Sprinkling.

The following ordinance is publish-  
ed for the benefit of persons using  
water in sprinkling:

**RULES AND REGULATIONS GOV-  
ERNING WATER AND ELECTRIC  
LIGHTS:** Sec. 10. House for sprink-  
ling front areas and side-walks shall  
be used only from the 1st of May to  
the 1st of November, from 7 to 9  
o'clock in the morning, from 1 to 2  
in the afternoon, and from 5 to 8  
o'clock in the evening. Sprinkling  
must be confined to one's own front,  
and not extend beyond the middle of  
the street, and to be within rates  
must be only through 1/4-inch nozzle,  
the use of a larger nozzle will sub-  
ject the party using it to double rates.  
Use of a hose without nozzle is pro-  
hibited. Garden (lawn or yard)  
sprinkling is one thing, Street Sprink-  
ling is another, and both must not  
be indulged in unless both are paid  
for according to rates."

The foregoing speaks for itself and  
it is needless to say that what was  
good for the city is good enough for  
us.

**PLEASE BE GOVERNED ACCORD-  
INGLY.**

**HICKMAN ICE & COAL CO.,**  
J. T. Dillon, Mgr.

Teething babies always have a  
hard time of it when this process oc-  
curs in hot weather. They not only  
have to contend with painful gums  
but the stomach is disordered, bowels  
loose and the body uncomfortable.  
The best help you can give the little  
sufferer is McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR.  
It corrects sour stomach, cools and  
quiets the bowels and helps digest-  
ion. Price 25c, and 50c per bottle.  
Sold by Hickman Drug Co. 5

## Letter from Syria

BY A. S. BARKETT

### JOURNEYING THROUGH THE "HOLY LAND"

Judeith, Margeon,  
Syria, Turkey.

May 5, 1911

Meaara, Speer & Sexton,  
Hickman, Ky., U. S. A.

Dear Friends:

Now comes the time for A. S. to  
fill his promise and write about his  
travels in the land of Christ, so all  
of my friends who are readers of the  
Courier may know.

On April 10th I started out on the  
journey, accompanied by mother, wife  
Mabel, Antie, Howard Salt and one  
of my cousins to help us on our  
trip. The first night we stayed with  
my brother on our farm, as we took  
a late start. There my brother killed  
a lamb for us and we had a big time.

Next morning we started out south  
towards the Lake of Haula and as we  
had to go horseback, brother sent 3  
men to help us on the road till we  
got to a place where we could hire a  
carriage to take us to Jerusalem.

We went slowly that day for the sake  
of the little baby, through the valley  
of Haula. After three hours travel  
we got to a place called the spring of  
Balata. There is a big spring of wa-  
ter bursting out of a rock and close  
to it an old sacred place, honored  
and respected by the Mohammedans.

There I noticed a large locust tree,  
which seemed to be 400 or 500 years  
old. The Mohammedans look for that  
tree to cure them when they get sick.

They tie a rag to one of its limbs  
naming it for their sick, believing  
that such a rag tied to a part of the  
tree does cure them. We spent over  
two hours under that holy tree, ate  
dinner, made coffee, smoked the  
Turkish pipe and drank some water.

We rode on until we got to a place  
called Ja'Anna, a town of 2000 inhabi-  
tants, most of whom are Jews who  
emigrated from Europe and given  
homes, land and stock for a certain  
time by a Jewish society. These peo-  
ple have all the modern improve-  
ments on their farms, orchards of all  
kinds of fruits, and houses built on  
the American style. The streets are  
wide with trees set along the walks.

The farmers cultivate the land as in  
America. We spent the night in the  
hotel and left next morning for Tiber-  
ia, a ride of six hours on an awfully  
rough road in a rocky country.

A short distance from Ja'Anna, we  
came to Jacob's Well, the well which  
Joseph's brothers, while in the wil-  
derness grazing their sheep, and Joseph  
the beloved son of Jacob, was sent  
to see his brothers in the far off  
country, and who was envied by them  
during his visit to his brothers. They  
thought of getting rid of him, so he  
was placed in that well which is still  
standing on the top of a little rough  
hill owned by the Mohammedans. The  
story of Joseph is well known to all  
little readers and how he got in the  
hands of Egyptian merchants. Near  
the well we saw a huge and rough  
building of old. They say it has

been standing 1300 years, built by  
Suan Nusha. It is built more like a  
fort than a house, its walls being a-  
bout four yards thick; the stock  
yard is enclosed by huge and high  
walls, so as to keep enemies from in-  
vading them so easy.

After lunch we got on our horses  
and rode to a place called the well  
of Munya. Here also is an old house  
said to have been built some time  
before Christ, close to the shore of  
the Sea of Galilee, where there are  
some fine buildings erected by the  
French Monks, which they call a  
French Convent. They own a fine  
lot of ground, raising on it wheat, har-  
ley and all kinds of vegetables. The  
monks live better than the president  
of the United States. They have a  
fine orchard and a fine place to live.

They are as fat as hogs. We resumed  
our journey along the shore of  
Galilee until we got to the city of  
Tiberia along the banks of the sea.

An old city with walls all around it,  
with 20,000 people, mostly Jews some  
Christians and foreigners and Moham-  
medans. We spent two nights at the  
German hotel where we met some A-  
merican, English, German and French  
tourists, who were here specially to  
see the country and the Sea of Gal-  
ilee, where Christ walked the water.

The sea is about ten times larger  
than Redfoot Lake, situated in a  
valley surrounded by mountains, ex-  
cept from the northern part where  
the rivers empty into it, and where  
the waters of the sea empty into the  
Dead Sea. The water of the sea is  
sweet and good to drink; with plenty  
of good fish. We ate fish out of the  
sea while we were in Tiberia. The  
shore of the sea is rock in some places  
and sand in others. Near the city  
there is a Jewish and a German col-  
ony who are upstate farmers, living  
in good houses, which shows that  
they are doing well and making money.

Between the 10th and 15th of  
April they had plenty of squash, rad-  
ishes, cabbage, cucumbers which I  
know you did not have in Hickman  
at that time. About a mile and a  
half south of Tiberia is the famous  
sulphur water of Tiberia. A true  
story is that the Springs used to be-  
long to King Solomon and that he  
and his staff would spend the winter  
season in Tiberia and the summer in  
Jerusalem. They still call the build-  
ing that King Solomon built above  
the springs "King Solomon's Bath  
House." The springs are close to  
the shore of the Sea of Galilee and  
the hot sulphur water pours out in  
two large streams about 400 yards  
apart. The water is so warm that  
one can hardly bear it two minutes  
and mother bathed in it. It is the  
best thing on earth for rheumatism  
and like ailments. Sick people from  
all over the world come here. The  
water is piped from the springs to  
the bath houses, and some of your  
readers may doubt the natural heat

of the water.

The day we spent at the hotel was  
a rainy one, but most of the hotel  
guests went in boats out on the sea  
of upper Galilee where the ruins of  
the synagogues are still standing. I  
wish that every American could visit  
the holy land—the land of Christ  
—to see all the buildings, forts and  
walls of the olden times, that are  
still standing and will stand as long  
as the world lasts. You don't know  
how I longed for about 20 Hickman  
friends to have been with me on our  
journey through the Holy Land.

After spending two nights in Ti-  
beria, we hired a 3-horse carriage to  
Jerusalem—a four days drive. It  
cost us \$20. On April 15th we start-  
ed on our trip to Nazareth, a dis-  
tance of about 30 miles. The roads  
were slick from showers and we had  
a hard time pulling the hills. About  
five miles from Tiberia we saw some  
fine land. We saw the mountain of  
Toro where Christ used to visit often.  
We saw two large convents—one for  
French and one for Russian monks.  
The mountain is round like an or-  
ange. A few miles further on we  
came to a place called Kana el Ga-  
leel, and today called Kafer-Kenna.  
This little town was the old home of  
Joseph and Mary, the parents of Je-  
sus, and where Joseph had his car-  
penter shop. In this place there is  
a big French convent with a big  
church built right on the spot where  
Joseph and Mary lived. The monks  
are doing a great work for Christians  
in Syria. The little town of Kana still  
looks old and humble. The women  
still wear the same style clothes as  
in the time before Christ. We stop-  
ped at the old well of the little town  
and ate dinner. Through that coun-  
try they raise wheat, barley and fig  
and olive trees, but their land looks  
to be very broken. But the wagon  
road is very good. It was built at  
the time when the Emperor of Ger-  
many visited Abdul Hamid, King of  
Turkey and came over to see the Ho-  
ly Land. His visit forced the Turk-  
ish government to build the roads to  
Tiberia, Nazareth and Haifa.

From Kana to Nazareth is a dis-  
tance of 12 miles and we reached the  
latter city about four o'clock in the  
evening. We stopped at an Ameri-  
can hotel, operated by a Syrian. At  
the hotel we met three women from  
Illinois and Wisconsin. Every body  
knows Nazareth was the home of Je-  
sus Christ. It is a beautiful city, lo-  
cated on a circle of hills. Most of  
the buildings are convents, churches

and orphan's homes. We first went  
to the church where Mary received  
the news of the boy (Jesus) from  
the Angel Gabriel. The old house is  
still plainly shown.

If I possibly can write the balance  
of our trip I will do so, but I believe  
it will take two more letters to finish  
it up. Best wishes to all; we are all  
enjoying the best of health.

Your friend,  
A. S. BARKETT

### Do You Get The Best.

If you have a cough, cold, asthma,  
croup or any throat or bronchial  
trouble and use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-  
Honey, you do. Look for the Bell on  
the Bottle.

### FRAGMENTS OF WISDOM.

All you've got to do is to stir some  
people up to have them boil over.

The hobble skirt is making quite  
a stir, considering the entire ab-  
sence of bustle.

When a woman holds a man in the  
hollow of her hand she can palm off  
any kind of talk on him.

He who surrenders when he is  
wrong is wise. He who surrenders  
when he is right—is married. But  
he, too, is wise.

The woman who marries to better  
herself generally becomes worse  
than ever. The prettier a woman is  
the less she believes love is blind.—  
Smart Set.

### We Don't Have to

Tell you what it's for. It's name tells.  
Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is the best  
cough medicine and several million  
people already know it. Look for the  
Bell on the Bottle.

### French Biscuit.

One-half pound flour, one-half pound  
sugar, four eggs. Beat the whites  
and yolks separately. Drop the bat-  
ter in spoonfuls on a buttered tin and  
sprinkle sugar over the top. Flavor  
to taste. Almond is good.

### Cabbage Soup.

One cup of chopped cabbage boiled  
in salt and water until done. Add  
desired quantity of milk. Season with  
pepper, salt and butter. Roll a crack-  
er or two fine and add just before re-  
moving from the fire.

Don't forget we have the best line  
of mattresses.—Hickman Furniture Co.

## Blue Serge

*The Suit for Every Man*

When in doubt buy Blue Serge  
is a rule that leads to satisfac-  
tion. Blue serge is always  
right—for every season, every  
occasion, and it is becoming to  
almost every type of man.

But be sure your suit is "true  
blue" in quality and color.

**Hart Schaffner & Marx**

blue serge suits are all true  
blue and of a standard that  
can be depended upon. We  
have them at

\$18 to \$25

Blue serge in other makes at \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$18

**SMITH & AMBERG**

## DAILY DIET HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN  
Food Specialist.

### GREEN CORN.

Green sweet corn is a com-  
mon article of food in summer.  
It contains all the elements of  
nutrition and its starch is much  
more easily digested than that  
of the ripe, hardened grain, but  
much of it is liable to be swal-  
lowed without thorough masti-  
cation, and then it will be im-  
perfectly digested, the outer  
shell being impenetrable by the  
digestive fluids. It needs little  
cooking; three minutes in boil-  
ing water and two hours in the  
fireless cooker is enough. Corn  
so prepared may serve well as  
a full meal for growing children,  
much better than white bread,  
potatoes, pie, meat and cake.  
The boy especially who cannot  
enjoy such a meal should be  
taken from school and turned  
out to grass.

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A bilious, half-sick feeling, loss of  
energy, and constipated bowels can  
be relieved with surprising prompt-  
ness by using HERBINE. The first  
dose brings improvement, a few doses  
puts the system in fine, vigorous  
condition. Price 50c. Sold by Hick-  
man Drug Co. 5

## OPEN

**Hickman Electric  
Studio**

Photographs in every style.  
Prompt Service.  
All Work Guaranteed.

**NOT HOW CHEAP BUT HOW  
GOOD**

We do Copying and Enlarging,  
make Medallions and Crayons.  
View and Flash Light Pictures  
any time or place.

Open Evenings Come and See

**J. Madison Pullen**  
Next to Price Hotel.



## Courier Want Column

RATES—One Cent per Word per Week  
Cash in Advance.

**FOR SALE**—Good Timothy Hay.—  
A. H. Loet.

A few choice buck lambs for sale.  
—C. L. Rose.

**FOR SALE**—My home in Hickman.  
—Jas. Housley.

**FOR SALE**: Good milk cows.—W.  
B. McGehee.

**FOR SALE**: Houses on small  
monthly payments.—M. B. Shaw.

**FOR SALE**: Good 4-year-old brood  
and work mare and mule colt.—Wilson  
B. Rice, Route 3, Hickman.

**FOUND**: Pocket book containing  
money and papers. Describe same  
and pay for this notice.—Courier of-  
fice.

**FOR SALE**: Two houses and lots  
in West Hickman; both have four  
rooms, and good cisterns.—P. T. Pro-  
vow.

**FOR SALE**: Three Red Polled  
Thoroughbred Registered Bull calves.  
—Dodds & DeBow, 2 miles east of  
Hickman.

**MARES FOR SALE**: A few good  
Brood and Work Mares on easy terms.  
Also a few Milk Cows with young  
calves.—S. L. DODDS.

**LOST**: Slender bay mare mule, 6  
years old, 15 hands high. No marks  
except light hair brand on left jaw.  
Reward of \$25 for her return.—C. T.  
Bondurant, Hickman.

**VEGETABLES** Phone  
**PRODUCE**  
C. H. MOORE **FRUITS**

**Engraved  
Calling Cards,  
Wedding  
Invitations, &c.**

**At Courier Office.  
See samples.**

## HOW TO CURE WITH MUSIC.

Investigators Find Certain Tunes Bene-  
fit the Sick.

Listen, you men of medicine, and give  
heed, you women who wait and watch  
within the hospital wards and in the  
sickrooms of our homes.

Here is a creed that is new, yet  
old, that has at its back the fervent  
faith of a great theologian and thinker  
and the practical indorsement of hard  
headed physicians.

It is the science of healing by music.  
Serious continuous experiments are be-  
ing made by men whose sincerity and  
scientific attainments are above ques-  
tion, and they assert that the results  
already attained have astonished the  
most sanguine among them.

The tests have been and are being  
made in the Samaritan hospital, Broad  
and Ontario streets, Philadelphia, un-  
der the direct supervision of the presi-  
dent of that institution, the Rev. Dr.  
Russell H. Conwell, famous throughout  
America for the breadth and force of  
his opinions and the eloquence with  
which he enunciates them from pulpit  
and lecture platform. They are fully  
verified in all their details by Dr. Wil-  
liam Haehten and the other physi-  
cians and surgeons comprising the staff  
of the Samaritan hospital.

These men and the nurses who have  
aided in making all the observations  
unite in testifying to the beneficial ef-  
fect upon the temperature and pulsa-  
tions of their patients of certain mu-  
sical airs and the evil and depressing  
influence of other tunes.

They found that the old rich melody  
of the hymn "I Know That My Re-  
deemer Liveth" brought patients forth  
from the trance of anaesthesia with  
none of the nausea and feverish sym-  
ptoms that usually attend an awak-  
ening.

They further found that fever was  
abated and restlessness reduced by  
that fine old song "Flow Gently, Sweet  
Afton," that "Dixie" calmed a patient  
who had delirium and that "Junata."  
"The Last Rose of Summer" and a  
number of other soft phrased melodies  
sent pain racked invalids into soothing,  
healing slumber.

In the course of the experimentation  
Dr. Conwell and the physicians discov-  
ered that a number of songs produced  
injurious effects upon the patients.  
Among these disturbing tunes were  
many hymns. "Abide With Me," "Flo-  
yelle's Hymn," "Behold a Stranger at  
the Door" and "In the Hour of Trial"  
were distinctly unfavorable in their re-  
sults. "Ben Bolt," "The Star Spangled  
Banner" and the dead march from  
"Saul" produced the worst effects of  
all the tunes.

For any kind of furniture go to the  
Hickman Furniture Co.

## Local Chats

The coldest kind of ice water at H.  
E. Curlin's free.

For a neat job of undertaking—  
Hickman Furniture Co.

For an undertaker call Harry Bar-  
rett with St. Louis Furnishing Co.

Dr. Robert F. Fisher, of Paducah,  
has received his commission as As-  
sistant State Veterinarian for West-  
ern Kentucky.

Children's Day exercises were ob-  
served at the Methodist Church last  
Sunday morning, and a very entertain-  
ing program rendered.

—A good many Hickman people  
have been in Clinton this week and  
all seemed to be certain that the  
railroad would soon be extended  
from Hickman to Clinton. "Hope it  
does."—Clinton Gazette.

The United States inspectors re-  
cently ordered that the transfer boat  
St. Louis, plying between Cairo and  
Birds Point must be repaired before  
she could be used again. The Henry  
Marquand is now in this service.

After a four-hour caucus Satur-  
day the Democratic senators voted 24  
to 1 to support the resolution offered  
by Senator Martin of Virginia on be-  
half of the Democratic steering com-  
mittee, providing for a reinvestigation  
of the bribery charges in connec-  
tion with the election of Senator  
Lorimer of Illinois.

A petition in which sensational ac-  
cusations are made has been filed in  
circuit court by Mary Belle Courtney,  
against Jess Meadows, in which dam-  
ages to the extent of \$5,000 is asked.  
The plaintiff, Mrs. Courtney, states  
that on May 2, 1911, Meadows came  
to her home in the absence of her  
husband and entered the house  
against protest and made indecent  
proposals and so frightened her as  
to cause nervous prostrations, leaving  
her a nervous wreck and unable to  
perform her household duties.—May-  
field Messenger.

### UNCEASING MISERY.

Hickman Kidney Sufferers Get Little  
Rest or Comfort.

There is little sleep, little rest, little  
peace for the sufferer from kidney  
trouble. Life is one continual round  
of pain. You can't rest at night with  
a bad back, with twinges and "stabs"  
of pain, with annoying urinary disor-  
ders, backaches, lameness and nerv-  
ousness. You can't be comfortable at  
work with darting pains and blinding  
dizzy spells. Neglect these ailments  
and serious troubles follow. Begin  
using Doan's Kidney Pills at the first  
sign of disorder. You will work bet-  
ter as the kidneys get better, rest  
better as your back grows stronger.

Proof in Hickman testimony:

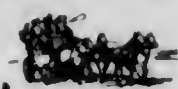
C. A. Watson, of Hickman, Ky.,  
says: "For some time I was a vic-  
tim of kidney complaint. There were  
pains in the small of my back, which  
were always more severe when I  
stooped, or lifted. My back ached at  
night and when I arose in the morn-  
ing, I was very lame. I became tired  
and occasionally suffered from nerv-  
ous spells. Headaches bothered me  
and I was subject to dizzy spells dur-  
ing which there was a blurring of my  
sight. When I caught cold, it settled  
on my kidneys and at such times, the  
passages of the kidney secretions be-  
came too frequent. This weakness  
was particularly annoying during the  
night and I was often forced to arise  
several times. Learning of Doan's  
Kidney Pills, I procured a box at  
Helm & Ellison's Drug Store and two  
days after using them I received re-  
lief. After I had taken the contents  
of the box, I was cured. I never lose  
an opportunity to recommend Doan's  
Kidney Pills to other kidney sufferers  
and shall always keep them in the  
house."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c.  
Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.,  
sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and  
take no other.

## WRIGHT'S

Hand - Made Harness



Nothing better at any price.  
Made in Hickman. No paper  
or rotten leather used. See  
them at

Hickman Harness Co.

Porch Furniture. St. Louis Furnish-  
ing Co. sell it for less.

Fly time is here; get screen doors  
at Reynolds Moss & Co.

Ask for Omega Flour. None bet-  
ter.—Betterworth & Prather.

For porch furniture, the Hickman  
Furniture Co. is the place.

Fish are biting. Get your fishing  
supplies from Fethe & French.

A good cheap roofing is our "Bull  
Dog" brand.—Reynolds-Moss & Co.

A turtle weighing 135 pounds was  
caught by two men in Oblon creek  
near Clinton, Ky., one day last week.

The Courier wants all the local news  
in Fulton county, deaths, births, mar-  
riages, entertainments, visitors from  
abroad, etc., and will be obliged if  
people will notify us by calling at  
the office or telephoning a line.

The reclamation of nearly 200,000  
acres of swamp lands in Western  
Tennessee was assured by a su-  
preme Court decision last week hold-  
ing the drainage law of 1909 to be con-  
stitutional and valid and the way was  
opened for the reclamation of millions  
of acres throughout the State. Drain-  
age and reclamation projects in Gib-  
son, Obion and Weakley counties, in-  
volving in all about 200,000 acres,  
hinge on this decision. The land lies  
in the bottom of the Forked Deer and  
Obion rivers.

Pres. Latta, of the Chicago, Mem-  
phis & Gulf R. R., was a pleasant vi-  
sitor at this office Tuesday. Pres.  
Latta asks us to announce a special  
low rate excursion from Hickman to  
Dyersburg, Tenn., next Sunday. Ex-  
cursion train, the first run out of  
Hickman, will leave here at 7 o'-  
clock Sunday morning. The round  
trip fare is \$2.10, or just half the regu-  
lar fare. Returning train will leave  
Dyersburg at 5:30 p. m. This is a  
splendid opportunity for our people  
to take a trip over and inspect the  
new railroad.

The Democracy of Kentucky—what is  
it? What are we for? In the old  
days the Democratic party of Ken-  
tucky was the people. To-day the  
Democratic party—getting down to  
the guts of the thing—is composed of  
not over fifteen men. And the Re-  
publican party is not much better off  
—leaving out its progressive element.  
Upon what rocks shall we ship-wreck?  
The only hope for a safe landing is  
a union of the so-called "progressive"  
elements of the two parties. Some-  
thing must be done. the old battle-  
ship "Kentucky" is leaking badly  
and the waves are rolling high.—  
Murray Gazette.

## Circuit Court.

J. H. Provow vs. Mrs. R. S. Murrell  
Suit for material and labor for re-  
pairing house.

Mrs. Mary Jones vs. Henry Jones.  
Suit for divorce and custody of two-  
year-old girl.

J. T. Seat vs. W. A. Naylor et al.  
Suit for writ of mandamus to compel  
the Fiscal Court to pay him \$183 that  
he paid C. B. Crossland, former court  
stenographer, for work done. Plai-  
ntiff brings order of Judge R. J. Bugg  
showing that the Circuit Court order-  
ed the sheriff to pay it.

Sue Pace vs. X. E. Pace. Suit for  
divorce, custody of child, \$500 alim-  
ony and \$10 per month pending the  
action of the suit.

Irene Branham vs. Turner Bran-  
ham. Suit for divorce and custody of  
child. Plaintiff alleges abandonment.

Solar Weathera vs. Will Weathera.  
Suit for divorce, and custody of a  
child. Plaintiff alleges abandonment.

May Davis vs. Thos. Davis. Suit  
for divorce, \$250 alimony.

J. W. Hurst vs. Ed Gholson and Lee  
Carter. Suit for \$372 for rent of a  
building in Fulton used by defendants  
as restaurant building.

Holeproof Hosiery Co. vs. Lon  
Jones. Suit on an account amounting  
to \$220.35.

J. W. Gregory vs. A. J. Burrow. A  
suit for \$3000 for slander. Both of  
the parties are piano salesmen at Ful-  
ton, and plaintiff alleges in his peti-  
tion that defendant told a customer  
of his, that he (Gregory) had stolen  
a yoke of oxen in Mississippi, and al-  
so that he (Gregory) had been in jail  
in Dyersburg, for trying to heat a  
board bill. Plaintiff sues for \$1000  
for causing the loss of sales of his  
pianos and \$2000 damages to his  
character.

Mills-Gendry Grocery Co. vs. Ed  
Gholson. Suit on an account of \$62.3

## In Hickman Correct Footwear Means Bradley & Parham

For every perplexity that confronts Man, Woman or  
Child in choosing Footwear, there is an easy, safe and  
satisfactory solution—Bradley & Parham's. If this  
were not so, would level-headed business men buy  
here, would particular women trade here, would pa-  
rents send their children here?

From its origin to the customer every process of shoe-  
making is safeguarded for YOU. How? We go into  
the great factories East and, by suggestion of styles of  
our own origin and insistence upon excellence of qual-  
ity, actually develop the "Correct Footwear" upon  
which you have come to depend.

## Woodland Mills.

Miss Linnie Threlkeld is visiting  
in Little Rock, Ark.

Miss Ida Branham is visiting in  
Nashville this week.

Mrs. A. Sanders is visiting in Dres-  
den, Tenn., this week.

Miss Lola Bradley was in Union  
City Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Myrtle Harpole, of California,  
is the guest of H. L. Curlin and fam-  
ily.

B. H. Prather and family were the  
guests of A. E. Wheeler and family  
Sunday.

Miss Lula Caldwell was the guest  
of Misses Cors and Luella Burrus  
Saturday.

Mrs. Cato Davis Jr. and Mrs. P.  
W. Prather visited in Union City one  
day last week.

Mrs. Artie Gildewell, of Hortense,  
Tenn., is ill at the home of her father,  
N. D. Logan.

The stork visited the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. C. Branfield recently and  
left a fine girl.

Misses Minnie Deal and Emma and  
Ruth Burrus spent a few days last  
week in Hickman.

## NOVEL PROTECTOR



When the air becomes full of dan-  
ger for the humble pedestrian, he will  
have to wear a mirror in front to pro-  
tect himself.

Ben Shaw and wife, of Oakton, was  
the guest of her parents, H. L. Cur-  
lin and wife, Sunday.

Mrs. Will Dee Flack, of Crockett,  
was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jim  
Burrus and family Sunday.

Miss Mary White and Con Berry  
have returned from Hollow Rock,  
Miss., where they have been attend-  
ing school.

## GROCERIES

Phone 4 C. H. Moore

## Memorial Service.

The Daughters of the Confederacy  
will hold a memorial service, with a  
decoration of the graves at the City  
Cemetery, at the Court House Satur-  
day afternoon at 3:30.

The following program has been  
prepared, and all that can be request-  
ed to be present.

Song—"How Firm a Foundation"  
Prayer—Rev. G. W. Wilson  
Solo—"One Sweetly Solemn Thought"  
Mrs. H. L. Amberg.  
Address—Dr. W. T. Bolling.  
Decoration of graves.  
Song—"Praise God From Whom All  
Blessings Flow"  
Benediction—Dr. W. T. Bolling.

Miss Ruby James, sister of Ollie  
James, has been granted license to  
practice law in all the courts of Ken-  
tucky. If the women folks get to  
voting, and it seems quite likely that  
they will do so within the next few  
years, Miss Ruby would prove to be  
a formidable candidate for congress.

## Mens Odd Trousers

Now is the time when you need an extra pair of light  
trousers. Owing to the unusual demand for extra trous-  
ers at this season of the year, I have just received a com-  
plete line, and the styles and quality shown are quite ex-  
traordinary. I have them in full peg, semi-peg and the  
most conservative styles.

Price \$1.50 to \$5.00

Come in and make your selection. Splendid offerings in  
mens suits, either blue serges or fancies.

**Leibovitz**  
MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER



# THE HICKMAN COURIER

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## MORE TAXES FOR STATE THIS YEAR

Board of Assessment Renders Report to Auditor

### SOME INTERESTING FIGURES

Total of Assessment Reaches \$846,454.020 Which Should Produce \$1,232,269 For State Revenue —Farm Lands Assessed at \$334,000,000.

Frankfort. As a result of the increase in assessments made by the state board of valuation and assessment, the state will receive \$90,000 more in taxes, according to the report made by Sherman Carver, secretary of the board, to Frank P. James, state auditor. The report shows that the actual total assessment on all property in the state this year is \$846,454,020. The total amount of taxes due the state on this will be \$1,232,269.

The totals of the qualified value of property given in by the assessors contain the following figures:

**Amount of Bonds.** \$5,746,677; notes secured by mortgages, \$26,020,179; cash in hand, \$5,152,576; cash on deposits in bank, \$13,125,115; number of acres of land, 24,223,455; value of each tract with improvements, \$334,702,783; number of city town lots, 141,921; value of city town lots with improvements, \$277,300,015.

**Thoroughbred Horses.** Number of thoroughbred and standard stallions, 650; value, \$191,747; thoroughbred or standard geldings, 419; value, \$11,975; thoroughbred or standard mares in foal, 3,783; value, \$304,590; stallions of common stock, 3,133; value, \$324,504; geldings, mares and colts of common stock, 348,373; value, \$21,091,612; thoroughbred and standard bulls, 826; value, \$39,101; thoroughbred or standard cows and calves, 6,258; value, \$186,891; bulls, cows, calves and steers of common stock, 661,262; value, \$12,886,342; sheep, 656,177; value, \$1,850,615; hogs, 1,064,209; value, \$5,245,635.

**Agricultural Implements.** Value of agricultural implements of all kinds, \$2,393,795; agricultural products after deducting the value of crops grown, \$1,331,396; wagons, carriages and vehicles of all kinds, \$5,951,319; manufactured implements and machinery of all kinds, \$6,751,920; pianos and musical instruments, \$1,667,668; libraries, 824; number of volumes, 68,067; value, \$386,687.

**Only 2,305 Diamonds.** Number of diamonds, 2,305; value \$390,138; watches, clocks, etc., \$586,283; steam engines, including boilers, \$2,965,050; steamboats and other water craft, 556; value, \$393,819; mineral products, \$137,715; coal mines, oil, gas and salt wells, \$1,644,616.

### Postal Savings Bank.

Frankfort will soon have a postal savings bank department in operation with Postmaster Geo. L. Harney in charge. The post office department has designated Frankfort as one of the few postoffices in Kentucky to receive deposits for the postal savings bank, Middleboro, Madisonville and Louisville being the only other postoffices in this state so far designated.

Postmaster Harney has been directed to go to Princeton, Ind., and attend a school of instruction there on June 5th and 6th, so as to become familiar with the duties and work attendant upon the postal savings de-



Double Protection

Fire departments are necessary and save much property, but they cannot be relied upon always. Although they may put out the fire, water may do as much damage as the fire. Fire insurance protects you against the loss by fire as well as the loss by water damage. A fire insurance policy in a reliable company with a reputation for fair dealing and promptness is your best protection. We represent only such companies.

R. T. TYLER, Agent

partment. Deposits will be received for the postal savings on and after June 12th at the Frankfort postoffice.

Lieut. Col. A. McLean Moffett, inspector of small arms practice, filed his report with Adj. Gen. Johnston, giving the names of officers and enlisted men who qualified and are entitled to qualification badges as expert riflemen, sharp shooters and marksmen last year.

Lexington.—The annual contest of the Kentucky Intercollegiate Oratorical association will be held at Transylvania university. The winner of the contest each year is given a handsome gold medal. Mr. A. R. Miller will represent Kentucky Wesleyan and will speak on "Personal Liberty and Prohibition."

### GIFT TO COLLEGE.

London.—Miss Iva Belle Horing won the silver championship cup at the tournament held by the girls' physical education department of Kentucky state university. The cup is inscribed "Best girl gymnast in Kentucky State University." Miss Eloise Ginn, who won the cup last year, was a close second.

Cattlettsburg.—This has been designated as the site of a United States postal savings bank to begin operation June 19.

W. W. Bryley, of Harboursville, has been appointed assistant state labor inspector to succeed W. H. Green.

Gov. Wilson designated Judge Sandage, of Russellville, as the special judge to finish out the present term of the Breckinridge circuit court next week.

Mrs. U. M. Richardson and son of Nashville are the guests of Mrs. Helm on Troy Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Bransford announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Margaret Hughes, to Mr. Locke Ferrel Alexander on Wednesday evening, June 7, at 9 o'clock at their residence Union City, Tenn. No cards. Miss Margaret visits in Hickman frequently and is well known here.

If you have the itch, don't scratch. It does not cure the trouble and makes the skin bleed. Apply HICKMAN'S SNOW LINIMENT. Rub it in gently on the affected parts. It relieves itching instantly and a few applications remove the cause thus performing a permanent cure. Price 25c. 60c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

## WARNING!

Parties having wiring done, or making any changes in their wiring, must have a permit from this company, in order that our records will show the consumption.

The reason for this is obvious, as we have transformers that reduce the current, and to overload one of these will mean a burn-out, entailing a considerable loss to this company.

Any electrician tapping our lines or making a change, without a permit, will be immediately prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

HICKMAN ICE & COAL CO., J. T. Dillon, Mgr.

The white-robed angel entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosler of near Fish Gap Hill, on last Thursday the 18th, and claimed their daughter, Zula. She had been sick but a few days, aged 15 years, 6 months and 24 days. Death was due to milk sick-

Children that are affected by worms are pale and sickly and liable to contract some fatal disease. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE expels worms promptly and puts the child on the road to health. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Fire of an unknown origin totally destroyed two of the largest tobacco warehouses in Western Kentucky at Paducah early Friday morning. In addition to this, two handsome residences were also partly wrecked. The loss is estimated at approximately \$400,000. The fire started in the A. J. Campbell warehouse. This leaves Hickman with the largest warehouse in Western Kentucky the Mengel Box Co. Warehouse.

Edward Orne, 66 years old, of Fayetteville, Ark., a veteran of the Confederate army, is missing, and his friends are apprehensive. Orne left his home to attend the reunion at Little Rock, Ark., and journeyed on to Memphis, and trace of the old soldier was lost there.

WANTED: Reliable energetic man to sell lubricating oils greases and paints in Fulton and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Stetson Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 1p

—Denny P. Smith of Cadiz has withdrawn from the race for Attorney General of Kentucky.

(On Free Trial, Delivered Free)



The most beautiful \$500 Piano, from Factory to Home for \$225. Write for catalogue and particulars to

C. R. KIENER, Factory Representative, 419 N. 6th St., PADUCAH, KY.

## INDICTED FOR LAND FRAUD

MINNESOTA FEDERAL WARRANTS OUT FOR REALTY MEN.

Corporations With Washington Connections Said to Be Involved in Inducing False Swearing.

Fergus Falls, Minn., May 30.—The grand jury in the United States court here completed the investigation of the Indian land fraud cases and brought in a batch of indictments. The exact number was not divulged. The persons indicted have not yet been arrested. It is said several real estate dealers of the White Earth reservation district are included in the list.

Bench warrants have been issued and the men involved will be brought in by federal officers and arraigned this week.

The indictments are the result of a federal investigation of the alleged fraudulent transfer of Indian lands on the White Earth reservation under the Chippewa bill permitting mixed bloods, as enrolled in the federal lists, to dispose of their lands. Many full-bloods, it is said, have been induced to swear they were mixed bloods and dispose of their property.

### JUDGE SAYS 'NIGGER' IS BAD

Georgia Court Threatens Disbarment When Lawyers Persist in Pronunciation.

Macon, Mo., May 30.—Judge Emory Spear of the United States circuit court threatened Thoma B. Felder, attorney general-elect of Georgia, with disbarment in his court unless he refrained from describing the negro plaintiff in a peonage case as a "nigger."

Finally Judge Spear said: "Mr. Felder, don't you think the future attorney general of the state of Georgia can spare us this 'nigger, nigger, nigger'?"

Felder replied hotly: "I think I know my duties and rights as a lawyer, an American lawyer practicing in an American court."

Judge Spear retorted: "You are exceeding those rights, and if you continue on this line and insist upon using this language, which is nothing but an appeal to the lowest race prejudice, I will have to sever our relations not only in this case, but in all cases in this court."

### FOG LATEST WAR DEVICE

Inventor Offers to Sell Patents to the United States to Enable It to Fool the Enemy.

Washington, May 30.—Archibald Watkins, who describes himself as "an experienced inventor," has offered to sell to the government a dirigible fog to be used in case of war for the purpose of confounding an enemy.

Watkins offered the patents for handling the fog to Postmaster General Hitchcock because, he said, he understood that President Taft had more faith in the judgment of his postmaster general than in any other cabinet officer.

Watkins said that by the use of his patent fogs could be controlled with ease and, in case of an attempted invasion, either by land, water or in an airship, the fog could be sent out to surround the enemy and keep him hopelessly floundering in the dark.

Mormons Ask a Million. New Orleans, May 30.—Joseph Smith of Salt Lake City, just arrived from Mexico, departed for Washington to seek government aid in obtaining \$1,000,000 indemnity from the Mexican government for damages done to Mormon settlers in the Mexican revolution.

Ammonia Fumes Kill Workman. Columbus, O., May 30.—Edwin L. Hopkins was killed by ammonia fumes when a bolt of lightning caused the explosion of a 50-gallon tank in an ice plant. Harry Miller and John Thomas, working with him, were overcome, but were rescued, and will recover.

Senator Bob Taylor of Tennessee is quoted as saying to a St. Louis Republic reporter, "Champ Clark will be the next President."

## Carter Gets 99 Years.

The jury in the case of Lee Carter, of Fulton, who was being tried at Clinton for murder, returned a verdict of guilty Friday, and fixed his punishment at 99 years in the state penitentiary.

Carter was on trial for the murder of Frank Holcom, a young man of Seattle, Wash., who was shot and killed by Carter in the latter part of January of this year in Fulton.

The killing of young Holcom, who was killed after an altercation with Carter on Lake street, near the American Cafe, is well remembered.

The trial was held in Clinton, in Hickman county, on account of it being thought that a jury could not be found in this county.

Mr. Carter was confined in the Hickman jail several weeks, and will be remembered as having started a fire in the jail and creating considerable excitement. He also rapped father Noonon in the face with his fist while being brought from Fulton to Hickman. A few years ago he was Chief of Police at Fulton.

Mr. Carter will, however, get a new trial, Judge Bugg admitting that he erred in giving instructions to the jury.

A regular morning operation of the bowels puts you in fine shape for the day's work. If you miss it you feel uncomfortable and cannot put vim into your movements. For all bowel irregularities HERBINE is the remedy. It purifies, strengthens and regulates. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

When you want your baby buggy retired see Ed Allen.

## Commissioner's Sale.

Fulton Circuit Court, Kentucky. The Exchange Bank of Mayfield, Ky., Plaintiff, against, R. R. Rogers, M. L. Rogers and B. T. Davis, defendants Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at the May term thereof, 1911, in the above cause for the sum of Five Hundred and five Dollars, with interest at the rate of — per cent per annum from the — day of —, 1911— until paid, and costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Ky., to the highest bidder at PUBLIC AUCTION on the 12th day of June, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., or thereabout, (being County Court day) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of Section 24, T. 2, R. 5 West, It being the land conveyed by H. F. Renley et al to R. R. Rogers and wife, M. L. Rogers, on the 4th day of Feb'y., 1908, and is recorded in DB No. 27, page 288, in the Fulton County Clerk's office.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved security or securities must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. J. R. MILNER, Com'r.

## Commissioner's Sale.

Fulton Circuit Court, Kentucky. Laura B. Hodges et al Plaintiff, against Samuel A. Gouger et al, Defendant. Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at the May term thereof, 1911, in the above cause, for the sum of Four Hundred and ten and 42-100 Dollars with interest at the rate of — per cent per annum from the — day of — 1911— until paid and—costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Kentucky, to the highest bidder at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 12th day of June, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., or (thereabout (being County Court day) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Hickman Vicinity Lots Nos. 370, 371, and 372 known and designated as such lots on the plan, map or chart of West Hickman, Ky., see will of Samuel H. Gouger, deceased, recorded in Will Book No. 1 page 364 Fulton County, Ky., records.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. R. MILNER, Master Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce

S. A. NORMAN, of Mayfield, as a candidate for State Senate from the district composed of the counties of Graves, Fulton and Hickman, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election, on July 1st, 1911.

Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve Good for all Skin Diseases.

Stationery and blank books at Feltz & French's.

We are authorized to announce

W. A. FROST, of Wingo, a candidate for the State Senate from the district composed of the counties of Fulton, Hickman and Graves, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election, on July 1st, 1911.

SUTHERLAND'S EAGLE EYE SALVE Good for Nothing but the Eyes

Standard garden seed of every description at Betterworth & Prather's.



## The Old Cabinet Maker says:

There was a time when we used to put things in the cellar or the well to keep them cool, put nowadays we have miniature ice houses, where we may store the eatables during the hot weather, from day to day. For one reason alone you can't afford to buy a poor one, for you pay the difference in price in the ice you have to buy. When you get one from us, right here at home, people you know, you are bound to get the right kind. First, we don't handle any other kind, and even if we wanted to we couldn't afford to for just figure how much it would hurt us if we sold you an ice burner for a refrigerator. If you have one now that is using too much ice, what you save in a single season on the ice bill will buy you a good one.

HICKMAN FURNITURE CO. INCORPORATED UNDERTAKERS Next Door to Post Office.

## Who'll Take 'er?

Fine Bottom Farm of 156 Acres Well Improved, Already Stocked For Only \$35 an Acre....

Owner has other business opportunities and will sell this place at much less than it is worth. It can be had with buildings, stock, farming implements and poultry already on it.

Two residences on place, in only moderate repair, but two good barns, one 36 and the other 32 feet, with sheds on sides. Nice young bearing orchard, 50 bushels apples, plenty of plums, etc. 100 acres of the place in cultivation; produces 60 bushels corn, a bale of cotton per acre, also alfalfa, oats, wheat, potatoes and all other crops of this section. A fine stock farm, now stocked with registered hogs of three kinds, live stock and about 200 chickens, guineas, etc., which may be bought with place. All under good American wire fence, but outside is a range of 5,000 acres for stock. Three good wells and pumps on farm.

Land is next to river, but is being added to yearly by river deposits. No better soil under the sun. Place will stand any kind of investigation you may care to make.

This is an extremely low price, as low as any unimproved land, but absolutely nothing wrong with the farm or its title. Makes a good crop every year. If you want either a Fulton county farm or a good investment, it will pay you to buy this place.

## The Hickman Courier

Daily Commercial Appeal (for R. F. D. only)

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## Brighten Up!

VERNIGOL reproduces the colors and effects of hard woods. It is not affected by heat or cold, soap or water, and when used on floors does not show heel marks. It is designed for finish on—

FLOORS, hard or soft wood, old or new, in good or bad condition, painted or natural. It is a very durable, attractive and economical floor finish. Nothing wears better.

WOODWORK new or old, of hard or soft wood. It makes the woodwork a part of the color scheme of the room. It covers the bad painting and renews a finish that has been marred or worn. It is a great improvement for kitchen wainscoting, refrigerators, kitchen sinks, bath rooms, &c

FURNITURE. It helps to harmonize the furniture and decorations, renews old articles, giving them new life and beauty.

## Cowgill's Drug Store.

### TIME TABLE C., M. & G. R. R.

(Effective June 4, 1911)

Leave Hickman.....	5:30 a. m.
Arrive Dyersburg.....	8:30 a. m.
Leave Hickman.....	2:00 p. m.
Arrive Dyersburg.....	5:00 p. m.
Leave Dyersburg.....	9:00 a. m.
Arrive Hickman.....	12:00 noon
Leave Dyersburg.....	5:30 p. m.
Arrive Hickman.....	8:30 p. m.

G. M. ROSS, Agent

Joe Everly, of Wolf Island, was in town Monday on business.

Mrs. Kate Smith is spending a few days in Nashville this week.

Cashier W. C. Reed and Lon Naylor, Jr., went to Louisville Saturday night.

This is "wall paper" time. Let us show you the prettiest line you ever saw.—Fethe & French.

Misses Lizzie and Mamie Pickett, who have been attending school here, have returned to their home near Dorena.

The size, fit and workmanship of the Pin Check pants are guaranteed. Refund your money or replace the garment if they are not up to the guarantee.—H. E. Curlin.

Miss M. Williamson and Mrs. Jas. Wheat, of Louisville, who participated in the graduating exercises of Hickman College, were the guests of C. L. Walker and wife while here. They left Friday for Mendelwood, before returning to Louisville.

## REASONABLE RESTRAINT



The Big Fellow—If I can catch him, this will be reasonable restraint. The Little Fellow—If he catches me, this will be unreasonable restraint.

See our line of wall paper.—Fethe & French.

W. J. Logan returned from Arkansas Sunday.

Orvis Sullivan left for Mayfield Saturday night to visit home folks.

We furnish your home complete. St. Louis Furnishing Co. sells it for less.

Miss Estelle Henan left Friday night for St. Louis to spend the summer.

Mrs. F. M. Ryan has returned from a towboat trip with Capt. Ryan to Craig, Tenn.

A few dollars down and a little each month and you can soon own a home. See M. B. Shaw.

Rev. W. L. King will preach at Spring Valley Church, the first Sunday in June. Everybody invited.

Miss Lillian Choate is expected to arrive home Saturday from school at Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg, Va.

Robt. McDaniel, of Proteus, Tenn., was the guest of Mrs. Oscar Salmon and other Hickman relatives last week.

We have a few Hickman Souvenir Envelopes left. The set of three shows 15 views. You can get them at 10c a package (24 envelopes), at this office while they last. They are just as cheap as blank ones, and are the thing to send your friends away from Hickman.

Oscar Salmon was in Tiptonville, Tuesday.

A. P. Thurmond was here from Dyersburg, Tenn.

Screen doors and fixtures at Reynolds Moss & Co.

H. E. Curlin spent Sunday with his parents at Woodland Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn and children, of Dorena, were here Saturday.

J. F. Lee was here from Donaldson Point, Mo., first of the week.

C. L. Walker and Dr. L. P. Baltzer went to Donaldson Point, Sunday on the Mengel tug.

W. E. Richardson returned Friday to Nashville after visiting Mrs. Helen and family on Troy Avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. McDermott, of Clinton, were here Friday the guest of C. C. Smith and wife. Mrs. McDermott is a niece of Mr. Smith.

Remember if you have surplus produce or anything to sell, or want to buy anything, our want column will do the work. Only 1c a word.

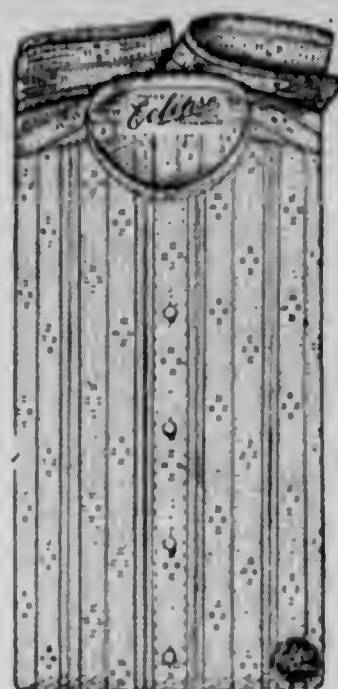
Tom French left Friday night for Louisville to see the ball game between Minneapolis and Louisville. He went from there to Roanoke, Va., to visit his sister, Mrs. Archer Boogher.

WANTED: To buy 5000 coupons from "Everybody's" coffees, baking powders, extracts, teas and spices, in lots of 25 or more. Highest cash price paid. Apply in writing to Box 75, Bardwell, Ky.

## NEW STRAW HATS

Every New Shape, Block and Weave will be found in our hat section. Nothing desirable has been overlooked.

A style for every face.  
A price for every purse.



## SWELL SHIRT STYLES

With the Eclipse carrying the banner, our shirt showing is a procession of styles that embraces everything desirable. The newest and choicest patterns, many of them exclusive with us, the best styles and the right prices combine to invite your inspection.

**Seasonable Underwear** No man ever had comfort unless his underwear was of the right weight and the right sort. Opinions differ as to what is the "right sort," but whatever your personal opinion may be, we can satisfy you. Drop in and have a look.

## MILLET & ALEXANDER

### DIAZ NEPHEW TO ASSIST

With Three Thousand Troops, Kin of the Ex-President Awaits Word From Havana—Ecclesiastical Party Ready to Support.

Mexico City, May 30.—A counter revolution that threatens to exact far heavier toll in human life than the Maderist uprising is gathering in the southern extremity of Mexico, according to private and official advices received here from various sources.

With 3,000 well armed men under him, Felix Diaz, a nephew of the abdicated president Porfirio Diaz, is patrolling the state of Oaxaca, ostensibly keeping order and putting down anarchy. In reality, however, Felix Diaz's soldiers are said to be the nucleus of an army which will proclaim Gen. Bernardo Reyes president.

Reyes Ready to Aid. General Reyes is said to be ready to throw his influence and fortune with the Felix Diaz uprising and to take personal command of the army. And behind Diaz and General Reyes looms up the supporting figure of the former president of the republic Porfirio Diaz himself, who, according to reports, will lend his prestige and fortune to the task of making Reyes his successor as dictator of the republic.

The powerful ecclesiastical party in Mexico is also said to be ready to support the Reyes movement. There are two other menacing phases of the chaotic state which exists throughout Mexico. One is the possibility of an open break between Gen. Francisco I. Madero and Provisional President De la Barra because of what De la Barra views as the assumption to presume authority by the insurgent leader, the second is the discovery of a plot against the life of Madero and the charge that it has been promoted by some of the wealthiest men in Mexico. These men it is said may be driven by the revelations of the plot to support the Reyes revolution.

### ACID DOSE KILLS NURSE

Mrs. Adelaide Hunt, Former Trained Nurse, Drinks Poison by Mistake in Her Home.

St. Louis, May 30.—A mistake against which she probably had been cautioned hundreds of times while studying to become a trained nurse caused the death of Mrs. Adelaide Hunt, of 53 Lockwood avenue, when she drank carbolic acid, mistaking it for other medicine.

Mrs. Hunt had been slightly ill for several months. Medicine prescribed for her was on a shelf in a dark room. By mistake she seized the wrong bottle and poured two ounces in a tumbler and drank the contents.

Her screams brought her husband to her aid. She was dead before physicians reached the home.

Tennessee Bankers Meet. Nashville, Tenn., May 30.—The Tennessee Bankers' association began its twenty-first annual convention in Nashville with a large and representative attendance. The sessions will last two days. John Perrin of Indianapolis and William Livingston of Detroit will address the convention.

Dies From Result of Fall. Evansville, Ind., May 30.—Louis A. Welchel, a wealthy sheet iron manufacturer, aged 46 years, died of blood poisoning caused by a fall from a ladder a few days ago. He is survived by a family of three.

James Cunningham, of Union City, was here Sunday the guest of Miss Lucile Bondurant.

### Miss Brevard Hurt.

Miss Marie Brevard, who has been visiting Miss McCraw, in Madison, Tenn., since her return from Little Rock, had the misfortune Friday of getting her left wrist broken. Miss Marie and Miss McCraw had started to Mason, Tenn., in a buggy to get a train for Arlington, Tenn., to spend the day, when, as they drove out, the horse shied and turned the buggy over. Miss Marie's arm was broken in the wrist, and although Miss McCraw suffered no broken bones, she was badly bruised and it was feared she was injured internally. A Memphis specialist was called and both are getting along nicely. Miss Marie is expected home in a few days.

Louis Jones went to Craig, Tenn., Saturday, where he will have charge of the construction work going on there for the Mengel Box Co.

We are authorized to announce THOS. S. RHEA a candidate for the office of State Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 1st.

Hickman Baptist Church, Sunday, June 4th. There will be the usual services. Sunday School at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 o'clock and at 5 o'clock. Every member of the church is urged to be present. We extend a cordial invitation to the public to attend our services.—Spurgeon Win. Co., Pastor.

Corbuan Vance went to Union City Monday to attend the funeral of his aunt.

Mrs. Mary Edson returned to Union City, Thursday, after an extended visit to her father, J. J. C. Bondurant.

## For Sale! Sweet Potato Slips

Old Time Yams and Queens

Leave orders with H. E. Curlin, Hickman, or phone or write H. L. Curlin, Woodland Mills, Tenn.

• Orders Receive Prompt Attention.

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## FIRST EXCURSION Sunday, June 4th

C. M. & G. R. R. (Hickman's New Railroad)

## HICKMAN DYERSBURG

The rate will be Fare One Way for the Round Trip

# \$2.10

Leave Hickman at . . . 7:00 a. m.  
Leave Dyersburg at . . . 5:30 p. m.

S. G. LATTA, Pres.

G. M. ROSS, Agent.



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## Kentucky Saddle Horses And Mules


Red Polled Cattle, Large Bone Berkshire Hogs.

Stock For Sale at All Times.

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GRIND AGAIN**



**START A BANK  
ACCOUNT TODAY**

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MONEY once spent is gone from you, and can only be acquired again by labor or effort, but money in the bank will work for you day and night till it reaches the point where it even doubles itself. Time passes rapidly and money in the bank grows all the time.

## The Peoples Bank

Will Appreciate Your Business.

Judge Naylor was in Fulton on business Monday.

Miss Marguerite Fuqua spent several hours in Union City yesterday.

Don't fail to see our new ornamental locks and hinges. Something new—something nice—Reynolds Bros. & Co.

The Adjutant General of Kentucky has compiled a list of Spanish American war veterans who are entitled to back pay. This list is too lengthy to reprint, but all interested may see it at this office.

Rev. H. J. Geiger is in Louisville this week attending General Council of the Episcopal Church. He expects to return Saturday.

Weddings at Fulton, Sunday: Albert Johnson and Miss Lula Cherry, of Murray, Ky. Geo. W. Norman and Miss Lula Mullins, of Wingo, Ky. D. M. Willis and Miss Opal Hayden, of Fulcrum, Ky. I. I. Crittenden, of McConnell, and Miss R. L. Holliman, of Pottsville, Ky. W. D. Bowdy and Miss Edna Taylor, of Bardwell, Ky. Ozdie Byrd and Miss Ora Johnson, of Mayfield, Ky.

### Passenger Service

The C. M. & G. Railroad Company, which was recently built into Hickman, will begin their regular passenger service next Sunday. Elsewhere in this issue will be found the official time card of the new system.

Tickets will be on sale at the temporary depot in West Hickman.

On this road are 14 stations including Hickman and Dyersburg, which are the present terminals. Many of these stations are newly named and have been created by the building of the road, hence are practically unknown. Starting from Hickman, they come in the following order:

Hickman,  
Owens,  
Ledford,  
Bondurant,  
Tyler,  
Phillips, Tenn.  
Wrights, Tenn.  
Proctor City, Tenn.  
Tiptonville, Tenn.  
Wynnsburg, Tenn.  
Hidgley, Tenn.  
Minok, Tenn.  
Miston, Tenn.  
Lenox, Tenn.  
Finley, Tenn.  
Dyersburg, Tenn.

Sam Salmon was in Cairo last week on business.

Mrs. G. N. Helm and Mrs. J. C. Ellison were in Union City yesterday.

We furnish your home complete. St. Louis Furnishing Co. sells it for less.

Mrs. T. R. Reynolds left Wednesday for Union City, where she will spend the remainder of the week with relatives.

It will at least be refreshing to learn that in Canada, along the north boundary of the United States, an 8-inch snow fell Tuesday and Canadians are sleigh-riding this week. It might be added, too, that Canada's wheat crop was greatly damaged.

### Mary McCaleb.

The remains of Mrs. Mary McCaleb, wife of J. J. McCaleb, who died at an infirmary in Nashville Monday, were brought to this city Wednesday evening and carried to Beulah yesterday for interment.

She had not enjoyed good health for some months and went to Nashville for treatment, suffering with a brain trouble.

The family for a long number of years lived in this county near Mount Zion, and eight years ago moved to Shady Grove, in Hickman county.

Mrs. McCaleb was 60 years of age and leaves a husband and five children, all daughters—Miss Della and Mrs. F. Smith, of Shady Grove, Ky.; Mrs. C. L. Andrews, of this city; Mrs. Elmore Inman, of Hickman, and Mrs. John Crittenden, of Halls.—Union City Commercial.

Mrs. Sam Salmon and daughter, Miss Stella, were in Paducah Monday.

Senator Bob Taylor, of Tennessee, is quoted as saying to a St. Louis Republic reporter, "Champ Clark will be the next President."

Remember if you have surplus produce or anything to sell, or want to buy anything, our want column will do the work. Only 1c a word.

In order to clear for themselves a baseball ground a crowd of boys wrecked a cemetery in Brockton, Mass., and carted away sixty headstones and monuments of distinguished persons.

Mrs. T. A. Stark, formerly of Newbern, Tenn., has joined her husband at Hickman, and will make this their future home. They will reside on Troy avenue. We are glad Mrs. Stark is here to look after the Colonel.

Edward Orne, 66 years old, of Fayetteville, Ark., a veteran of the Confederate army, is missing, and his friends are apprehensive. Orne left his home to attend the reunion at Little Rock, and journeyed on to Memphis, and trace of the old soldier was lost there.



### Harvest Time is Painting Time. Use Sherwin-Williams Paint, Prepared.

Harvest time—the fall—is a splendid painting time. Here are a few reasons why—

The weather is settled and spring rains will not interfere.

You will protect your property against winter's snows and storms.

You will avoid the loss and annoyance caused by gnats, flies, and other insects sticking to the surface.

There is likely to be less moisture in the lumber. Moisture often causes blistering, cracking and like troubles.

S. W. P. costs less by the job than any other prepared paint or lead and oil. It covers more, wears longer and looks better—is more economical.

S. W. P. is the best because it is made from the highest quality materials by the most improved methods of manufacture.

### Hickman Hdw. Company

—Incorporated—

#### MAXIMS OF MAXIMILIAN.

A man may be down on his uppers, and yet not be entirely devoid of sole.

It is difficult to retain our self-possession when somebody is giving us away.

There is nothing so potent to stir the heart as a first-class spoon with a pretty girl.

The fish for office is never assuaged by scratching the candidate who suffers from it.

The trouble with trouble is that it hasn't enough exits for use in case of more trouble.

The optimist is the man who makes crullers out of the dough taken from the hole in the doughnut.

The man who has no ideas to express in his own tongue wastes his time in studying foreign languages.

If absence makes the heart grow fonder, a good cure for a flirt would probably lie in the line of absent treatment.—Judge.

Tuesday was Decoration Day.

#### Good News.

I have received from the State Treasurer, the money due the Grand and Petit Jurors for the May term, 1911, of Fulton Circuit Court, and Jurors living nearer Fulton can get their money by calling at the City National bank, and those nearer Hickman can call at my office.

J. W. MORRIS,  
Trustee Jury Fund.

A few dollars down and a little each month and you can soon own a home. See M. B. Shaw.

A boy at Exeter, Ky., kicked over a bee hive, just to see the "bees buzz about." The doctors think he has a chance to recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. L. Bransford announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Margaret Hughes, to Mr. Locke Ferrell Alexander on Wednesday evening, June 7, at 9 o'clock at their residence in Union City. No cards. Miss Margaret visits in Hickman frequently and is well known here.

For Everything, See

# H. E. CURLIN

### News From Mable.

Lena Stoker visited in Medley last Sunday.

Hollie Henderson has moved into his new home.

Misses Nannie and Ivey Tankersley visited the Misses Botter Sunday.

Medley is booming. We expect to have a new school house for the fall term of school.

Mrs. J. W. Purcell, of Warren, Ark. has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Henderson.

Mrs. W. L. Green, of Nashville, formerly of Hickman, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henderson.

A number of our young people attended an ice cream supper at Dorena one night last week.

Mrs. Claude Wright and children and Miss Lottie McClellan visited relatives at Medley Sunday.

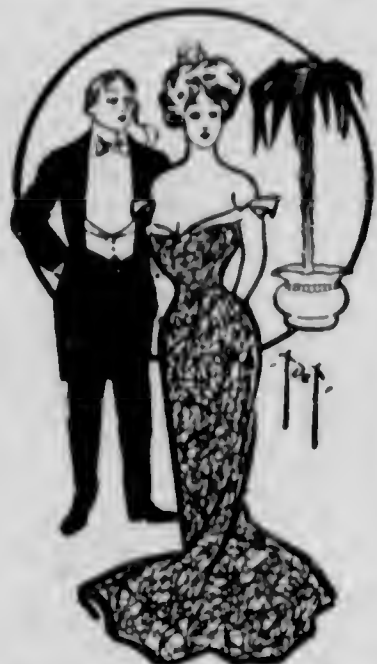
We are having unusually warm weather for this time of year and our crops are suffering for rain.

A. H. Henderson visited relatives in Nashville recently, returning by the way of Fulton, Clinton and Charleston.

Usual services at the Methodist Church next Sunday.

This is "wall paper" time. Let us show you the prettiest line you ever saw.—Fetche & French.

### AT THE BALL



He—Did that old man apologize when he stepped on your train?  
She—No. He told me that my gown was entirely too long.

Duke C. Bowers, of Memphis, but formerly of Columbus, Ky., the well known proprietor of a string of grocery stores, shot himself Saturday afternoon about 5 o'clock while handling a revolver. Members of his family state that it was an accident. The bullet struck him in the head, but the attending physician states that the wound is not necessarily fatal.

### 100 Degrees in the Shade! Want Underwear in a Hurry

Then you're in the right mood to appreciate the quick service of our underwear section. Right now we're showing more good kinds of underwear than ever—and we've always shown the most.

The Standard Balbriggan.....	50c
Porous Knit Underwear.....	50c
B. V. D. Underwear.....	50c and 1.00
Scrivens' Elastic Seam Drawers, a pair.....	50c
Union Suits, several kinds.....	1.00

Now that you've shed your vest, maybe more good shirts are wanted. Nothing better than our "Wilson Bros." brand. Any style you want, at any price you like to pay, \$1.00 to \$3.00

## BRADLEY & PARHAM

### Marriage Licenses

The following were granted license to marry in Obion County last week:

B. E. Everett and Sadye Thompson.  
Elias Crawson and Lena Permenter.  
Silas Jackson and Ida Williams.  
Hanner Porter and Ida Williams.  
Thos. Edmister and Minnie Kelsor.  
R. L. Stephens and Dora Lynne.  
F. J. Sullivan and L. M. Wynne.  
J. O. Goins and Lottie Hoffman.  
Willie Morris and Mary Armstrong.

### Real Estate

M. B. Shaw to J. R. Brown, lots in Henry Addition, \$100.

Avee Journey to J. J. Freeman, lots 199 and 200 in East Hickman, \$750.

See our line of wall paper.—Fetche & French.

Screen doors and fixtures at Reynolds Moss & Co.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will meet at Mrs. Maggie Randle's on Tuesday afternoon.

A resolution calling on federal authorities either to remove the statue of Robert E. Lee from the hall of fame at Washington or abandon the hall was unanimously adopted at the concluding session of the thirty-seventh annual encampment of the Indian Department, Grand Army of the Republic at Richmond, Ind.





## Good Work and Small Bills

make every man for whom we work an advertiser for our plumbing. They would make one of you, too, if you would give us a chance to show what we can do. How about a new sanitary bath room? Don't you think it's about time you had one? People talk about such things you know.

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## The Courier's Weekly Sermon

BY PASTOR RUSSELL

## ASCENDED UP ON HIGH WHERE HE WAS BEFORE

How He Led a Multitude of  
Captives.

What the Ascension of Jesus Im-  
plied For Himself and For  
the World.



Baltimore, Md.,  
May 21.—Pastor  
Russell of the  
Brooklyn Taberna-  
cle preached here  
twice today to large  
and attentive audi-  
ences. We report  
one of his dis-  
courses from the  
text, "When He as-  
cended up on high  
He led a multitude of captives" (Eph-  
sians iv, 8:10).

In this week occurs the anniversary  
of Jesus' ascension. In our sense of  
the word our Lord ascended (that is,  
from human nature and the tomb, to  
the divine nature and immortality) at  
the time of His resurrection from the  
dead. He tarried, however, for forty  
days, with the Apostles for their es-  
tablishment and instruction—He on  
the spirit plane, invisible to them, ex-  
cept when He manifested Himself by  
appearing miraculously in various  
forms to convince them that He was no  
longer deceased, and also that He was  
no longer confined to human conditions.

"Flesh and Blood Cannot Inherit the  
Kingdom of God."

We are not, however, to suppose for  
a moment that Jesus ascended a flesh-  
ly or human being; we remember, on  
the contrary, that "flesh and blood can-  
not inherit the Kingdom of God," and  
that "He was put to death in the  
flesh but quickened in the spirit," and  
that therefore, as the Apostle de-  
clares, "The Lord is that Spirit" (II  
Corinthians iii, 17).

To suppose that Jesus went to heav-  
en as a man is to mistake the significance  
of His title, The Son of Man, which  
He maintains, as identifying Him with  
His great redemptive work—as one of  
His many titles. To suppose that  
Jesus is a human being in heaven  
would be to suppose that He is still  
as when in the flesh, "a little lower  
than the angels," whereas the Scrip-  
tures declare that He has ascended far  
higher, so that all the angels of God,  
as well as men, are commanded to  
worship Him. To suppose Jesus in  
heaven a human being would be to  
suppose Him out of all harmony with  
heavenly, spiritual conditions and sur-  
roundings.

Moreover, are we not told that the  
Church of Christ will be changed from  
the human to the spirit condition in  
the resurrection, and that this change  
will make the "elect of God" like their  
Redeemer, so that they may see Him  
as He is, not as He was—that they  
may see Him in glory, honor and im-  
mortality, exaltation, and not as the  
humiliated One Who was made flesh  
that He might sacrifice His flesh on  
man's behalf? When we so thought-  
fully forget the Scriptural declaration  
that "flesh and blood cannot inherit  
the Kingdom of God."

A Multitude of Captives.  
Our text, in a figurative way, rep-

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resents the ascension of Jesus from the  
earthly plane to the heavenly as the  
triumph of a great conqueror. Sin  
had gained ascendancy over Adam and  
his race, and had brought mankind low  
to the dust, mentally, morally and  
physically. Moreover, this victory  
over man had been gained in a legal  
manner, through one man's disobe-  
dience (Romans v, 12). The *Lagos* divest-  
ed Himself of His glory on the spirit  
plane, was made flesh, fulfilled the de-  
mands of the Law, proved Himself  
competent to pay the sinners' ransom-  
price, and gave Himself a ransom for  
all, "to be testified in due time" (I Tim-  
othy ii, 6).

Thus the great Conqueror is seen re-  
turning to the heavenly state, acclimated  
by the Heavenly Host, and follow-  
ing Him far down the centuries, the  
prophetic view saw first the Church,  
the "Bride of Christ," "His bride-  
room," "His Bride," delivered from the  
power of sin and death, through the  
merit of His blood. And these were  
but the first of a following host—  
in kind of first fruits to God of His  
"resurrected" from sin and from  
death (James i, 18; Revelation xiv, 4).

Later on, stretching down for a thou-  
sand years beyond the Church's deliv-  
erance, the prophetic pen foretells  
countless hosts of every nation, people,  
kindred and tongue, to be delivered  
from the power of sin and death  
through the merit of Him Who died  
"the just for the unjust." Now the  
savior of the Church, His Bride, He  
will surely be the Savior of the world,  
its Great King, Great Teacher, Great  
Prince, Great Mediator. During the  
thousand years of His reign Satan will  
be bound, ignorance and superstition  
will be removed, and before the light  
of the New Dispensation, mankind  
will be uplifted to human perfection  
and blessed with an earthly Eden—all  
that was lost by Adam and redeemed  
for men through the death of Jesus.

Then will come the glorious consum-  
mation when all who will have re-  
fused living grace shall have been de-  
stroyed in the Second Death, then  
shall be heard every creature in heav-  
en and on earth and under the earth  
saying, "Glory to God in the Highest."

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uptions. Use Dr. Bell's Antiseptic  
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## Mal-De-Mer.

Gunner—Yes, that man trembles  
when he thinks of the possibility of  
regular air liners crossing the ocean.  
Guyer—Heard of some steamship  
company, eh?  
Gunner—No, manufacturer of sea-  
sick remedies.

Incidental Expenses at College.  
"Seems to me you need a good deal  
of expense money, my son."  
"Yes, dad; our crowd is a very ex-  
pensive one."

"But I don't see why you should sup-  
port the whole crowd, my son."

## A Test.

"Is your friend up in Maine having  
success with his hunting?"  
"Oh, yes. He's shot so many geese  
that they are getting afraid to go with  
him."

## So It Is.

"It is better to have the good will  
than the ill will of a man."  
"Yes, but it is better to have the  
ill will of some men than to have to  
laugh at their funny stories."

## Should Be Indolent.

"A Kansas editor has something to  
say about the 'ting-a-ling' toque."  
"Worn by the village belle, no  
doubt."

## Her Instrument.

"When a girl fishes for admirers,  
what kind of a line does she use?"  
"A beau line, of course."

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## A WINTER NIGHT.

When the fire roars up the chimney  
And the winds of winter blow,  
And the scent of life's sweet morning  
Recalls the long ago,  
And fancy's sprites are building  
Dream castles in the blaze,  
We'll hear soft voices singing  
The songs of other days.

When the flames are slowly fading—  
No more they brightly leap—  
And weary eyes are turning  
To the poppy realm of sleep,  
The world may crack and groan beneath  
The weight of winter's hand,  
We'll follow far where roses are,  
The road to Blunderland!

## His Choice.

"Yes," said the specialist, as he  
stood at the bedside of the miser mil-  
lionaire, "I can cure you."  
"But what will it cost?" came fee-  
bly from the lips of the sick man.  
The specialist made a swift men-  
tal calculation. "Ninety-five dollars,"  
was his answer.  
"Can't you shade your figure a lit-  
tle?" wailed the other. "The under-  
taker's bid is much less."—Lippin-  
cott's.

## Then Silence Reigned.

The boy terror was in evidence  
again. His parents had invited some  
friends to dine, among them being  
his sister's beau, who took the incor-  
rigible on his knee.

During a lull in the conversation  
the young hopeful suddenly yelled  
out:

"Mr. Brown, is I as heavy as sis-  
ter?"  
But no one seemed to hear him!

## Not Hard to Bear.

Great Author (who sells by subscrip-  
tion)—So you are a book agent, eh? I  
presume you meet with a good deal  
of ill treatment.

Agent—Yes, every day.  
"I don't see how you stand it."  
"Well, you see, I know it isn't be-  
cause folks dislike me personally. It's  
because they have such a contempt  
for the books."—New York Weekly.

## Had Done It, Too.

Knicker—Banking interests some-  
times buy what they don't want, to  
avert a panic.  
Bocker—As I buy my wife a dress.  
—Harper's Bazar.

## AN EXPLANATION.



Cholly—Er—really, I can't under-  
stand why some fellows get rich and  
I always stay so poor.  
Miss Slick—Perhaps it's because so  
many people amuse themselves at  
your expense.

## An Invitation Withdrawn.

Come, fly with me—  
Oh, I forgot  
That hobbie skirt;  
You'd better not.

## How It Happened.

He was limping down the street  
with one arm in a sling and both eyes  
in mourning.

"What's the matter?" queried a  
friend. "Automobile accident?"

"No," replied the other, sadly. "I  
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